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The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Margaret Brown, Tuesday afternoon Oct. 4, with the President Mrs. Cobb in the chair. Meeting was called to order. Devotions led by Mrs. Chaney. First a song "Bringing in the sheaves." Scripture lesson, "Lydia and the Prayermeeting by the river" Acts 16, 11-15. Prayer offered by Mrs. Jones. Song "I need thee every hour." Roll call to which the members responded with scripture texts. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted. Moved seconded and carried that we elect delegates to attend the Branch meeting at Layfayette Ind. Oct. 12-14. The following names were elected. Mrs. Cobb, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Leasure Mrs Thornburg.

Moved seconded and carried that we also elect delegates to attend the District meeting at Fort Wayne Oct. 27-28. Mrs. Chaney was elected delegate and Mrs. Harrestock alternate. It was voted that the text-books for the auxiallary be purchased at the Branch Meeting and the Cor. Sec. was instructed to canvass the society for the necessary.

The Chairman of the programme committe presented a bill of $4.40 for the programmes. The bill was allowed.

Moved seconded and carried that a new Secreta

book be purchased. Treasurer to purchase the same. Cor. Sec. instructed to notify Mrs. Clark of Chicago that our auxiliary is on the pyramid. That mention of it will be in the Fund. Following the business came the programme of the day. Mrs Lasure gave the first lesson from the Text Book "Eastern women in Eastern Lands," in a very interesting way. Judging the entire book by the first lesson given, not any can afford to miss this year's study.
A Missionaries prayer, read by Mrs. Thornburg was beautiful. That all our hearts would respond to the plea.
Mystery box conducted by Mrs. McCord. Mrs. Thornburg receiving the head mark.
The president then read the programme for the next meeting and this very interesting meeting closed by repeating the Lords prayer in unison.
Contingent fund $1.35. No dues.

Mrs. Cobb. Pres.
mrs. Acheson Sec.

October 1912

Treasurer Report of M.E.F.M.S. of First-M.E. Church, Auburn Ind.

From Oct-1911 to Oct-1912.

Amount of dues on hand at the beginning of the year	.76
Dues collected during the year	57.90
Total	58.66
Bank offering	64.40
Children's offering	57.50
Christmas offering	24.20
Orphan fund	15.00
District contingent fund	5.70
Branch " "	3.00
Conference " "	3.00
Retirement fund	.60
Total amount for the year	$232.06

Against $2.34 for last yr.

Dues on hand at close of yr .66¢

From conference to conference April 1911 to March 1912 this year work

Money left from anniversary dinner October 1911. $10.65

Dec November 1911, paid out of chal-fund for programe. 3.75

Dec August 1912, paid to Clark for 100 chairs & three tables for picnic $2.06. To Mrs Leasure for cake, plates, & napkins $1.00, Dec October paid for programe $3.75, Total amount $10.56, Leaving balance of 9¢ on hand.

Amount of money in freewill box at beginning of year 1911, 1¢. Amount collected during the year $3.19, Total $3.20 Paid out of chal-fund during the year Dec January. 45¢ for stamps, Dec Feb. to Dilgard for chairs.

50¢, In April to Mrs
Fredrick 50¢ for the Friend
for the Library, In August-
for the picnic at Mrs
Leasures $1.05 In September
to Mrs. Tenbyck for
Express 30¢ Total-ammount
$3.10. leaving a balance of
10¢ on hand at the close
of the year

October 1912,

Alda Rank
Treas.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Viola Wilderson Wed. afternoon Nov. 2. Meeting called to order by the President Mrs. Cobb. Miss Ellen Keever opened the devotional services by earnest words of prayer. Song "Sunshine in the Soul" Scripture lesson "The Ardent Soul winner" John 4: 7-15 - 27-30 was read. Prayers offered by Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Gregorie. Song "Living for Jesus"

Roll Call which 26 members responded with testimonies of Faithfulness

Minutes of former meeting read and after one correction was accepted.

Motion seconded and carried that the books left from the purchase of the first study books, & Branch meeting, be applied on the Express charges for the remaining ~~no.~~ to be sent. Sec. reported that there were 30 study books in use in the Auxiliary. Cor. Sec. read a very interesting letter from the scholarship supported by the Auxiliary in China. Excellent reports were given from the Branch and District meeting to the delegates who were present. We trust that all have received an inspiration from these meetings by hearing the reports. Mrs. Priscilla Zimmerman conducted the lesson from the text book in a very instructive way. This closed the program for the day. A number of

beautiful Chrysanthemums were brought for distribution among the sick ones of our society.

The President then read the program for the next meeting and we adjourned to meet with mrs. Bessie Thornburg in Dec.

Closing prayer offered by mrs. O. V. Thornburg.

Dues collected $6.70 Contingent fund 77¢.

mrs. Cobb President

mrs. Culbertson Sec.

The W. F. M. S met at the home of Mrs. Bert Thornburg Monday afternoon Dec. 5 - at 2
The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Cobb. All officers pres except one. Devotional services conducted by Mrs. Hollister. Song "Hail way with Scripture Lesson "Mary's Song of Praise" read. Prayers offered by Mrs. Thornburg Eckhart and Mrs. Hollister. Song "Lig Roll call to which 22 members responded with quotations of the mite box and ~~its~~ uses. The Cor. Secretary read a Christmas offering leaflet, also a letter from the District Sec urging the pleasure of a Christmas offering. Motion seconded and that we in the afternoons of Dec 7, 8 meet for special prayer ~~for~~ that we may make our Xmas offering.
Miss Thomas not being able to meet with Mrs Cobb gave the lesson in her place. A leaflet "True Christmas Giving" was read Mrs. Tenbyck. Mystery box conducted by Mrs. Frederick.
Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Callie Zimmerman

Dues collected 2.50
Contingent Fund 1.66
Christmas offering

Mrs. Cobb President
Mrs. Ackerman Secretary

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Olive Eudaman Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 4- 1911- at 2:30. with the Vice-president in the chair. Mrs. Leasure had charge of the devotions which opened with a song "Bring them in" Scripture lesson read which was found in Acts 9: 36-42 verses. "Dear the Summer of Missionary Societies" Prayer offered by Mrs. Zimmerman, Mrs. McClennan and Mrs. Lanier. Another song "Precious Promise".

Roll call to which eleven members responded with a name of a woman of the bible. Minutes of former meeting read and after one correction was accepted. Then being no business to transact we at once proceeded to the study of the lesson, conducted by Mrs. Thornburg in a very instructive way. which closed the II Capter of the study book. Mrs. Fredrick gave a beautiful reading, entitled "With eyes that see". Mrs Adams, sweetly sang a solo, "Face to Face". Mrs. Callye Zimmerman conducted the Mystery Box from The Friend. This closed the program for the day. Glad to report two new subscriptions to the Friend. This being Carnation day a number of beautiful carnations were brought and given to two of our members who were sick.

Mrs Thornburg offered the closing prayer.

Dues collected $.35 Mrs Cobb Pres.

Mrs. McClennan Secy.

The W. F. M. S. met in the church parlors in the home of the Rev. Mr. Peters Wed. afternoon Feb. 1. In the absence of Mrs. President and Vice-Pres. Mrs. Treasure took charge of the meeting opened with song "Stand up for Jesus" Mrs. Schreck led the devotional service. Read Luke 10: 38-42 verses. Two Types of Service" followed by prayer by Mrs. Minister.

Roll call to which twenty one members responded with the name of one missionary in the field. Minutes of former meeting read and after one correction was accepted.

Business followed:

Cor. Sec. read a letter in regard to taking dimes back for collecting money for missionaries. Plans sending out mem.

Plans read for Thankoffering service, and was adopted and resulted in the following committee being appointed, Mrs. Rauk, Mrs. Lichenius Mrs. Harnster. Moved, seconded and carried that we have our pastor deliver the Thankoffering sermon.

Mrs. Steffey was selected for the lesson study which was very interesting.

Solo, "O Love Divine" by Mrs. Schermerhorn was very inspiring. Mystery Box conducted by Mrs. Chaney. Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Gugerli.

Mrs. Lessure Pres.

Mrs. Chaney Sec. Pro. Tem.

The W.F.M.S. met in regular session in the home of Mrs Harverstock Wed. afternoon March 1st the president called the meeting to order. Mrs Leasure had charge of the devotional exercises which open with a song "Will there be any stars" Scripture lesson read from Judges 4:4-9. "Deborah, the Palm tree Prophetess." Prayers offered by Mrs. McCord and Mrs. Brown Another song "Down in his will." Roll call to which twenty members responded with the name of our Missionary Station. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. The president presented the object of taking the dime banks to raise money for sending out new missionaries and it was reported that five banks had been taken. The Thank offering service was discussed at length and Thankoffering literature was distributed to each member present to be given to the ladies of the Church before the Thanksgiving offering service. The following committees were appointed. Music - Mrs Schermerhorn Mrs. Thornburg. Decorating. Mrs Harverstock Mrs. Shepherd Mrs. TenEyck. Collectors Mrs. Lessler, Mrs. Kuhlman Mrs Jones, Mrs. Snyder Mrs. Waldron Mrs. Zimmerman. A letter was read from Mrs. Binford the Conference Sec. in regard to our finances, and it was moved seconded and carried that the Cor. Sec. correspond with Mrs. L. Boyer the Conf. Treasurer in regard to the matter. Lesson on Medical Missions was conducted by Mrs. Kuhlman. Mystery Box. Mrs. Frederick Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Braun. Mrs. Cobb. Pres. Mrs. Lichtenberger

The W.F.M.S. met in regular session at the home of Mrs. J.L. Myers wed. afternoon April 5th. The president called the meeting to order. Mrs. Hollister had charge of the devotional service which opened with a song "I shall be like him". Scripture lesson read from John 12:1-8 verses. "The precious Gift of Mary of Bethany" Prayers offered by Mrs. Brann and Mrs. Stafford. Song "Sunshine in the Soul".

Roll call to which twelve members responded with Easter Greetings. Minutes read and accepted. It was reported that the Thankoffering in March amounted to 47 dollars.

It was moved and seconded that we send the "Missionary Friend" to the Eckhart Public Library for one year. The motion was carried.

This closed the business for the day.

Mrs. Brann gave the lesson from the study book. It was very interesting and profitible to all present.

Mrs. Gugerli had charge of the Mystery box.

Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Frederick.

Mrs. Cobb Pres.

Mrs. Lucinda Secy.

The W. F. M. S. met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Lita Kessler May 3 - 1911. In the absence of both President & Vice president, Mrs. Frederick took charge of the meeting. Which opened with a song "Blessed Assurance." Scripture Lesson read by Mrs. Earle, which was the 123rd. Psalm. Prayer offered by Mrs. Geyerlein. Roll call to which eight members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted.

Mrs. Thornburg gave a very interesting lesson from the study book, A reading, "Gertrude Howe" by Mrs. Thomas.

Piano Duett, Mrs. Achmire and Mrs. Frederick.

Reading by Mrs. Thornburg.

One new member was added to our list, that of Mrs. Alvin Schlatter.

Adjourned to meet again in regular meeting in June.

Mrs. Frederick Pres Pro. Tem.
Mrs. Achmire - Secty.

The W.F.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Rault Wednesday afternoon June 7 - 1911. The president called the meeting to order. Miss Laura Keeran led the devotional exercises which opened with a song. "Holy Spirit faithful Guide". Scripture lesson "A Youthful Missionary" was read from II Kings 5:1- ~~Roll call to~~ Prayer offered by Miss Keeran.

Roll call to which sixteen members responded.

Minuts of former meeting read and accepted.

The Cor. Sec. read a letter from Miss Mason, urg that our auxiliary be represented in the mission school at Nimrona.

Miss Keeran reported on some of the special work, which was very interesting to the society.

Mrs. Acheuina gave the lesson. The V chapter in the Study book. "The New Woman of the Orient"

"How my Beckie got her Subscribers" was read by Mrs. Leasure and was very interesting.

Mrs. Alda Rault had charge of the Mystery box.

This closed the programme for the day and all joined in repeating the Lords Prayer.

Mrs. Cobb Pres.

Mrs. Acheuina Secy.

The W. F. M. S. met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Nina TenEyck, Wed. afternoon July 5th - 1911. The meeting was called to order by the President. Devotional service conducted by Mrs. McCord, which opened by singing the verses of "Consecration".
Scripture lesson read from Mark, 5:22-24-35-43 "The Daughter of Jairus."
Prayer offered by Mrs. Leasure - Mrs McCord.
Roll Call to which eight members responded.
Minutes of former meeting read and accepted.
The Chair appointed the following committee to arrange the programme for next years work. Mrs. Leasure (Chairman) Mrs. Fredrick, Mrs TenEyck.
Mrs Jones then gave the study of the lesson, the closing chapter of the study book. Thus closing a very profitable years work, and trusting that we have all been inspired to do more in the Master's work, in the coming year.
The meeting closed with this motion which was seconded and carried - that each member be a committee of one to get one new member in the auxilliary -
Mrs. Cobb Pres.
Mrs. Archemire Secriy.

The W.F.M.S. met at the parsonage Aug. 5th afternoon Aug. 2 - for the annual picnic. The President called the meeting to order for a short programme. Prayers offered by Mrs. Rank and Mrs. McCord.

Roll call to which thirty seven members responded. Minute of former meeting read and accepted.

Report of the Program committe was read and was accepted.

Moved, seconded and carried that the chair appoint the nominating committee for the election of officers at next meeting.

The following committee was named- Mrs. Thornburg (Chairman) Mrs. Stafford Ollie Kuhlman. *

Mrs. Callie Zimmerman conducted the mystery box.

This program was closed by prayer by Mrs. Wm B. Freeland. whom we were pleased to have with us.

Then following was the big picnic lunch - which every one thoroughly enjoyed. We were glad to have a number of guests with us.

Mrs. Cobb Pres.
Mrs. Achemire Secy.

* Moved, seconded and carried that we extend a vote of thanks to Mrs. Schemerhorn for framing the picture sent to us from China.

The Ladies Foreign Missionary Society met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Harriet Applemon Sept. 6 - 1911. Meeting called to order by the President. Song "The Church of mine". Devotions led by Mrs. Leasure. Scripture lesson read from I Kings 17: 9-16 verses. The Widow of Zarephath. Prayer offered by Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Stafford. Song "Help somebody to day". Roll call to which twenty-four members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted.

Program Committe made further report on work for coming year. Suggested by committe that we have a social hour and serve refreshments at our meetings. Same was voted upon and carried.

Cor. Sec. read excellent report of years work, the same was accepted. Letter from Miss Mason was read also.

Mrs. Thornburg was elected as delegate to Branch Meeting in Oct.

Plans for district meeting to be held in Auburn, was discussed. The two following Committes was apointed.

Music - Mrs. Thornburg	Decoration Mrs. Leasure
" Schlatter	" Haverstock
" Schermerhorn	" VanEyck

Mrs. Wallis then gave a reading. Entitled "The woman who gave herself." Mystery ex conducted by Mrs. TenEyck.

At the close of the programme the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

Pres. Mrs. Leasure
Vice Pres. Mrs. Lane
Rec. Secry Mrs. Haverstick
Cor. Secry Mrs. Frederick.
Ass't Cor. Secry Mrs. Schlatter.
Treasurer - Mrs. Rank
White Box Supt. Mrs. Snyder
Supt. of Y. P. Work. Mrs. Brown.

A Vote of thanks was extended to our out going President for her faithful work.

Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Draygoo.

At the close of the session the ladies served dainty refreshments.

White Box Offering $57.50.

Mrs. Cobb Pres.
Mrs. Acheson Secry.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met in regular session at the home of Mrs Sarah Leasure Wed. aft Oct 4-1911. Meeting called to order by Pres. Sang. Blessed Assurance. Devotions led by Mrs Elda Braun. Lesson read from John 1-1-14. Sang. prayer offered by Mrs Eckhart & Mrs Thornburg. Roll call to which 26 members responded. minutes of former meeting read and accepted. It was moved & seconded that a committee be appointed to see who would serve meals to members & Guests during the session of the district convention Motion carried. The Members of the Ladies Aid agreed to serve Luncheon & six oclock dinner. Mond & sec. That the cor sec'y help the rec. sec'y assign places for the Sisters during the convention. Mond & seconed that an invitation be extended to the Lutheran Missionary Ladies to attend the Convention Motion carried. Mond & seconed that each member of the Missionary Society be assessed 10¢ for payment of programs. Motion carried. Mond & seconed at the District Convention that Little Courtland son of our Cor. sec'y. Mrs. C. R. Frederick be made a life member of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. Church at Auburn Motion carried. Prayer was then offered by Mrs Ada Jones after which dainty refreshments were served by Com

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs Havenstock sec'y

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met in regular session at the home of Mrs Ada Lane Nov 1– 1911. Meeting called to order by Mrs Sadie Cobb. Pres. Pro. Tem. Devotions led by Mrs Stafford. John 1–29-34 Verse. Song page 91 Jesus the light of the World. Prayer offered by Mrs Frederick and Mrs Rault. Roll call to which 14 members responded. "Topic Joy." A very interesting letter was read by Mrs Cobb from the district secy. which was greatly appreciated by all present. A letter was read by the Cor. secy from Miss Winifred Short teacher of Bible English at the Girls Boarding school at Chengtu China which was very interesting. Mrs Zimmerman then gave the study of the lesson Hinduism chapter I in the Study Book. several topics were read by several members of the society at the close of the lesson prayer was offered by Mrs Hollister.

Meeting adj. to meet in regular session in December.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

" Harrstock sec'y.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met in regular session at the M. E. Church Parlors Dec 6th 1911. Meeting called to order by Pres. song. Devotions led by Mrs Cobb. Prayer was offered by Mrs McClintock. Topic for roll call. Peace. To which 14 members responded.

Mrs Celia Zimmerman gave a brief outline of the lesson Buddhism in Chapter (2) in the Study book, a general ~~Lesson~~ study of the lesson by the members was given which proved to be very interesting as well as instructive.

a Leaflet. Her Passport to Heaven was read by Mrs Schlatter.

Several committees were appointed by the Pres. Who gave them each a district to work in for the purpose of gaining new members for the L. F. M. S.

The Lords Prayer was ~~appropriated~~ by the Members Present.

Meeting Adjourned to meet Jan III 1912.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Mrs Haverstock Secy.

The Womans Foreign Missionary met at the home of Mrs. Callie Zimmerman Jan. 3-1912. Meeting called to order by the President- Devotional by Mrs. C. M. Thornburg- Scripture Lesson read from John 4: 4-26. Prayers offered by Miss Laura Keeran, Mrs C. M. Thornburg- Roll Call to which 11 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted.

Miss Laura Keeran gave a very interesting lesson from Chapter 3 of the study book.

Miss Keeran also read the Leaflet entitled "Witch Doctors and Charms."

This closed the programme for the day. Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Bertha Thornburg.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achenius Lecky Pro. Tem.

The W. F. M. S. of the met at the home of Mrs Bertha Thornburg. Mar 6th 1912 Meeting called to order by Pres Devotions led by Mrs McCord. Scripture lesson read from Mark 1-29-34. Prayer offered by Mrs Jones.

Roll call to which 24 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. Mrs Leasure gave a very interesting lesson from the study Book chapter 4. Good News from many Lands. Leaflet read by Mrs Thornburg. How Uncle Billie Listened. Mrs Sadie Cobb conducted the Mystery Box. Prayer was offered by.

This closed the meeting for the afternoon

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Mrs Havrstock Secy.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of
Mrs Winnie Brandon Apr 11 1912. Meeting
called to order by Pres: Devotions led
by Mrs Thornbury. Luke 7-18-25. Prayer
offered by Mrs McLeod and Mrs Stafford
Roll call 12 members responding
Topic for roll call. 'Faith' Minutes
read & one correction made. a very
~~instructive~~ interesting lesson from the study book
Chapt. V. led by Mrs Jones assisted by
several of the Members. Was given.
Mystery Box conducted by Mrs Laine
proved quite interesting. Closing
prayer offered by Mrs Emeline Rhett.
This closed the program. Dues for
March $1.40.

Mrs Leasure Pres:
" Havenstock Sec'y:

The W. F. M. S. met in regular session at the home of Mrs Celia Zimmerman Devotions led by Mrs. Lane. Matt 13th chapt.
Prayer offered by Mrs McCord - Mrs Stafford - Mrs Achheimer. Roll call 17 members present Minutes read and accepted. Cor Secy. read a letter from Mrs Peterson urging attendance at the Mission school at Winona Aug June 21 to 29. Moved - seconded carried that the June meeting. "Missionary Tea" be postponed until a later date. Lesson "Mrs Stafford" chap VI Christ the "Light of the World"
assisted by members of the society.
Mystery Box conducted by Mrs Corbett.
Meeting closed by prayer by Mrs Thomburg
Mrs Leasure - Pres Mrs Achenmier secy pro tem

the W. F. M. S. met in regular session June 7th at the Home of Mrs Leasure. Mrs Brandon had charge of the Devotion Song: Blessed Be The Name: Scripture Lesson was read Mark XIII: Prayers were offered by Mrs Cobb and Mrs Ackerman: Roll call Eighteen Members responding: Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. The Treas gave a very satisfactory Report of finances to date.

The Cor. Secy read communications urging The Friends subscribe by July 1st A letter was from Miss Mason Asst Sec was read. also a letter from Miss Jacobs Singapore was read explaining the Year Book. The Northern Ind Conference Report to be send.

a Motion was made that a committee of three be named to arrange this matter

Mrs Ten Eyck, Mrs Snyder and Mrs Brandon were appointed. Mrs Eckhart gave her work "Our adopted Children" Mrs Leasure read a very interesting letter from Mrs Mary Reed of India, Mrs Rauch Conducted the Mystery Box Meeting was closed by Prayer by Mrs McCord.

Mrs Leasure Pres. Mrs Jones
Secy Pro Tem.

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10¢, on hand at the close
of the year

October 1912,

Alda Rank
Treas.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Cheney Oct. 17th 1912. the meeting being called to order by the Pres.

Devotions were led by Mrs Ada Jones prayers offered by Mrs Zimmerman and Mrs Cobb. Roll was called to which nine members responded.

The minutes for previous meeting were read it was moved and seconded that a complete report of the treasurer be supplemented.

The resignation of Mrs Fanning was accepted and Miss Bertha Luykendal elected Supt of Young Peoples Work in her place.

A letter was read from Mrs Mason concerning the convention at Ossion.

A bill of $3.25 for programs was presented and allowed, the treasurer to pay the Bill

Meeting was closed by prayer the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Fanning.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

mrs Brown Secy.

Nov.

The W. F. M. S. met with Mrs Fanning. Owing to bad weather only eight members answered to roll call.

Devotions were led by Mrs Frederick. Scripture lesson being John III chapter. Prayer was led by Mrs Snyder, Mrs Kuhlman and Mrs Fredrick.

The Treasures gave a complete report of past years work.

Several ladies gave reports of the meeting at Ossion.

Lesson by Mrs Kuhlman P. 23-44 were discussed.

Mrs Snyder conducted the Mystery Box. The meeting was closed by prayer by Mrs. Sugerdi.

Mrs Leasure Pres.
Mrs Jones Sec pro tem

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Jan 2. 1913.

The W. F. M. S. with twelve members present opened its meeting by sing "Joy to the world"
Scripture reading by mrs. Alda Rant topic
In the secret of his Presence.
Prayer was led by Mrs Mc. Cord and Mrs Thomb
The Minutes were read and approved.
The President asked each member to remem
the Noon Tide Prayer.
The Study Lesson was given by Mrs
Thomburg which was very interesting to all.
the lesson being closed by prayer for
our twelve out going missionaries.
The Christmas offering was taken.
The meeting was closed to meet in
Feb with Mrs. Brandon
Mrs. Cobb. Sec Pro Tem

Feb 6 - 1913.

The W. F. M. S. was called to order by the President, Song "Jesus lover of my soul."
Devotional were led by Mrs. Chas. Rau
Prayer by Mrs. Leasure and Alda Rau
The Report of previous meeting was read and approved.

A letter from Mrs Nannie Casebeer was read telling how much she enjoyed the Study book although she was not able to be at the meetings.

A letter from Nellie Mason was read. it was decided the money to pay for the reports, be taken out of the auxiliary.

It was moved and seconded that the ch appoint a committee to secure Mrs Cady or some one else to speak at our thank offer meeting. Committee.

Mrs Olive Kuhlman, Mrs Thornburg Mrs. Achen

Leaflet read by Mrs Achemire title "God's plan of giving.

Leaflet by Mrs Willis. "Mrs Haytswellsmith b

The meeting was ~~dismissed~~ closed with prayer by Mrs Lane.

Mrs Chaney Sec Pro Tem

March 5th 1913.

March 5th was an open meeting of the W.F.M. to which 20 members responded; a number of guests also being present.

The meeting opened by a piano duet by mrs Thornburg and mrs. Kettering.

Vocal Solo by mrs. Hursh

Sceripture reading by mrs Gugerly 91 Psalm

The secretary report was read and approved.

The committee reported that Mrs. Beaty would give an address mar. 9th at M. E. Church

It was moved and seconded that payment be made to Bro. See. for envelopes also that the money be drawn from treasury to pay for opening

It was moved ~~by~~ and seconded that we give "The Friend" to the Public Library for another year.

The Lesson was led by Miss Kerawin the absence of Mrs. Braun.

Leaflet when the deacon talked in Church by mrs Achemire.

Meting closed by Piano solo by mrs. Gattin.

April 2nd 1913.

The L. F. M. S. met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Vera Wilcox April 2nd Devotions were led by Mrs Downing naming the 17th Psalm.

Prayer by mrs Cobb and Lugulii.

~~Let was~~ The Roll was called, responses being given by naming the products of China.

The Thank offering was reported to be $40.28

A letter from Miss Mason was read in regards to the Winona Plan.

Mrs Braun being absent there was no lesson.

Mystery box was conducted by Mrs Cobb.

Meeting closed by prayer by Mrs Frederick.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Mrs N L Brown Sec.

May 11th

The W. F. M. S. met in regular session with Mrs Sevenmeyer.

The meeting was opened by singing "What a friend we have in Jesus"

Devotions by Mrs Mc-Cord. Lesson John 14

Prayer by Mrs Thornburg and Mrs Cobb

The Report of the Sec't was omitted the Sec. being absent.

Nine members reported to Roll call

A ~~sp~~ dict letter from Miss Ethel Jackson ~~Cor. Sec~~. was read.

The Corresponding Sec. read an announcement of school of Missions to be held at Winona June 19-27

Attention was called to leaflet concerning the memorial to be erected in honor of Dr. Anna Gloss and cards were distributed to raise money for the fund.

A loss of 8 subscriptions to the Friend was reported and a committee appointed to canvas to raise the list.

Mrs Cobb then gave a most interesting sect. of the medical work of china as given in the Text book. Mrs Harry Karle took charge of the Mystery box which proved to be very interesting and instructive.

Mrs Leasure Pres.,
Mrs Thornburg Sec Protem

June 4th 1913.

The W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Olive Kuhlman June 4th. The Devotions being led by Mrs. Lane.

Prayer by Mrs. McCord and Mrs. Boland. The roll was called to which thirteen members responded. The secretarys report was read and approved.

Mrs Frederick read a report from Nellie Mason urging. We were asked to get new subscriptions to the Friend.

It was moved and seconded that the auxiliary use the Friend in our program instead of the text book using the text book only as a review.

The announcement of the different District meetings were read.

The lesson was conducted by the Pres. in the absence of mrs. Stafford.

The meeting closed by Prayer by Mrs Thornburg.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.

Mrs. Brown Sec.

The W. F. Ms. S. met at the home of Mrs. Harry Kerr July 2. - 1913 - Meeting called to order by the President. Mrs. Thornburg had charge of the devotional service and read the 10th Chapter of Matthew for the scripture lesson. Prayer offered by Miss Laura Keeran. Roll call to which eight members responded - Minutes read and approved - Sec. reported 17 new subscriptions to the Friend - and one free subscription for every five - and these were ordered sent to Mrs. Pres. to do with as she thought best. Motion and seconded that the Chair appoint a committee to arrange the next years program Mrs. Grace Eckhart, Mrs. Cobb, Mrs. Schmine were appointed. In the absence of Mrs. Fredick who was to have given the lesson, Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Thornburg took us all with them to the "World at Chicago (as they saw it). It was very interesting mystery box led by Mrs. Hollister. Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Frederick.

The hostess served delightful refreshments.

Aug.

The W. F. M. S. met for their annu
picnic in the basement of the chure
August. Prayer was offerd by Mrs.
M. Cord and Mrs. Meyers.

Nineteen members responded to roll
call.

A leaflet was read by Mrs Cobb.
urging that each member might ~~give~~
15 cts additional to send missionaries to
the foreign field.

Mrs Eckenier also read an article
along the same line.

The Program for the following yea
was read by Mrs. Eckenier and was
accepted by the society.

A map was presented to the society
which was very acceptable to all From Mrs Lea

A nominating com. was appointed
composed of Alda Rant,
Mrs Zimmerman
Miss Jackman.

Prayer was offered by Miss Ellen Kuer
The meeting adjourned and all partoo
of a delightful picnic supper.
Mrs Leasure
" Brown

Sep 3rd - 1913 -

The W.F.M.S. met with Mrs Thornburg & was called to order by the President. With 15 members & 1 visitor present. Mrs Cobb conducted the devotions. Scripture reading 117 Psalm. Song "Doing His Will" - Prayer by Mrs Myers Mrs Frederick & Mrs Kuhlman. Business - The President called attention to the program for 1913-14 - Mrs Kuhlman made a motion that a free will offering be made for the amount needed to pay for the Programs - This motion was carried - Mrs Acheampre was called upon to read the programs for coming year, as a few changes had been desired - Special attention to the various Committees was brought out by the President. The nominating Committee came in with their report of names for Officers. these were read & accepted & voted upon - resulting as follows -

President Mrs Sarah Deaner
Vice Pres " Allie Kuhlman
Recording Sec " Jennie Fanning
Corresponding Sec " Birtha Frederick
Treasurer " Alda Rant.
Mite Box Supt " Lida Snyder
Sup of Junior Peoples Work - Mrs Sadie Cobb
" " Children's " Miss Ina Engerli

Mite Box opening followed but a report could not be given as a

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Sallie Zimmerman Sept 24-1913 This being the first meeting in the new year's work. Meeting was called to order by the Pres Mrs. Hollister had charge of the devotional serv which opened with a song. "Jesus the Light of the World." Scripture lesson read was John 3:14-22 Prayer was offered by Mrs. Thornburg and Mrs. Achemire. Another song "Will there be any Stars in my Crown." Roll Call to which 20 members responded. Minutes of former meet read and accepted. The Cor. Secretary read letters one from Nellie Mason urging a large att endance at the coming conventions and Bran meeting. Also a letter from Mrs. Binford in r gard to special work. Mrs. Alda Rauk was elected delegate and Mrs Eva Karle as alternate, to the Distri Convention at Bennville Ind. Oct. 23 & 24. Mrs. Jen Fanning sent in her resignation as Rec. Secretar of the Auxilliary. Same was accepted. Mrs. C Vantilpa Achemire was elected by acclamation t fill the vacancy. The Treasurer gave an excelle report of last years work. Same was accepte This closed the Business part of the program, we then listened very earnestly to the lesso The King's Business, Its Magnitude and Importan

given under the three following topics,
The World's Need - by Mrs. Kuhlman
Obligation Mrs. Thornburg
Opportunity Mrs. Bower.
These topics were very ably discussed, and were very instructive.
The Foster Committe is a live wire in the Auxiliary and we expect to hear from them several more times during the year.
The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Priscilla Zimmerman.
All remained for a social hour and we were served with real Japan Chinese tea, and wafers.
November meeting with Mrs. ~~Bell Cochran~~ J. D. Myers.

Mrs. Leasure - Pres.
Mrs. Achemire Sec.

November 5 - 1913. The Womans Foreign Missionary society met in regular meeting at the home of Mrs. J. D. Myres. Meeting called to order by the President. Mrs. Myres had charge of the devotional service - which opened with a song "Blessed Assurance." Scripture lesson, Understanding all Mysteries, 1st Cor. 13 chapter was read. Prayers offered by Mrs. McCord and Mrs. Braun. Roll call to which 14 members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted. A mystery explained, telling where our money goes, was given by the Treasurer - Mrs. Alda Rust. A very interesting Roster was presented by the Roster committee. Mrs. Leasure gave a talk on the district convention meeting, giving the points our auxillary must meet in order for an additional seal on the permant. Must fill five coin cards, have five dollars more than last year, and five new members.
Each member was asked for five cents in the contingent fund, to pay for the years programs.
Mystery Box conducted by Mrs. Karle.
One new member was added to our list Mrs. Alma Huffman. Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Lane.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.

43 Mrs. Leasure Sec. Pro. Tem.

Dec 3-1913. The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Belle Cochran. Meeting called to order by the President. Mrs Chaney had charge of the devotional service. Scripture lesson read from Luke 2-8-16 verses. Song "Will there be any stars in my crown" Prayers offered by Mrs. Adda Rank and Mrs Cobb. Song - "Sunshine in the Soul" Roll Call to which 21 members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted. Moved and seconded that the programs be paid for out of treasury. Mrs. Cobb explained the poster which was very interesting. Moved and seconded that we make our Christmas offering better than last year and Cor. Sec was asked to send for Christmas leaflets and envelopes.

Reading by Mrs Nellie Sziepp.
Music by Mrs. Bertha Lamburg -
Reading Mrs. Mason.
Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Callie Zimmerman and Mrs. Mason.

Mrs. Leasure Cor.
Mrs. Chaney Sec. Pro Tem.

Jan 7-1914. The W.F.M.S met at the home of Mrs. Virginia Brandon. Meeting called to order by the president. Devotional Service ~~opened~~ conducted by Mrs. Rank- First song "What a friend we have in Jesus" The 34 Psalm read as the scripture lesson. Prayer (Free) by Mrs. Achenire, closing by all repeating the Lords prayer.
Roll call to which fifteen members responded.
Minutes of former meeting read and accepted.
Mite box Supt. reported that she had given out 26 mite boxes.
Mved and secnded that the Chair appoint a committee to make arrangements for Thank Offering service. The following is the committee Mrs. Callie Zimmerman, Mrs. Thornburg, Mrs. Frederick Mrs. Brandon.
The following readings, "The Master waits for you" read by Mrs. Zimmerman, and "My Daughter will Preach Tomorrow" read by Mrs. Frederick were both greatly enjoyed.
The Cruz explained the monthly paster.
Mrs Kettering conducted the Mystery box.
Christmas offering amounted to - $26.00 $41 00

Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Thornburg.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achenire Secry.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met at the church, after the afternoon service Feb. 4-1914. Mrs Leasure read the scripture lesson found in Eph. 6-10-18 verses. Prayer offered by Mrs. McCord and Mrs. Lake.

Roll call to which fifteen members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted.

Mrs. Rhoads ~~[illegible]~~ read a very interesting paper on "Our Work in Korea".

Clippings read from reports from Korea, on Miss Sharp's work there was very interesting.

This closed our program and closing prayer was offered by Mrs Myers.

One new name was added to our list, Mrs. Cora Johnson.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achenbach Sec

March 10 - 1914

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Leasure.

Meeting called to order by the President. Mrs. Callie Zimmerman had charge of the devotions, which opened with a song- "Joy to the World." Responsive Scripture was read - Another song- "Love Divine". Prayer offered by Mrs. Rant, Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Zimmerman.

Roll Call to which seventeen members responded.

Minute of former meeting read and accepted.

The Corresponding Secretary read a letter from Mrs. Chandler the District Pres. urging a ready response for a large Thank Offering for the District.

It was moved and seconded that the Subscription for the Friend for the Library be renewed beginning with the July number.

Mrs Leasure gave a very interesting lesson consisting of a map exercise and reports from the different fields of ~~to~~ work, supported by our ~~differe~~ North Western Branch.

Mrs. Cobb gave an explanation of the Poster.

Closing prayers offered by Mrs. Lane & Mrs. Broome.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Mrs. Acheson Sec.

The Public Annual Thank Offering service was held March 22- 1914 At First M. E Church. The President of Society presided at the meeting. A hymn was sung and Mrs. Thornburg had charge of Devotional service. She read a number of passages of scripture conveying the missionary thought. Prayer offered by the Pastor, Mrs. Thornburg followed by an anthem by the choir.

The program as follows was given by members of the auxillary giving a little of the different departments of work supported by the North Western Branch.

Miss Viola Fredericks- a member of the Standard bearers gave the Kindergarden and day school work.

Mrs. Achmire gave the Hospital work and Mrs Callie Zimmerman the Evangelastic work.

A Vocal Solo by Mr. Thornburg.

Mrs Olive Kuhlman then gave a talk on the "World's need."

Program closed with a hymn by the congregation.

Thankoffering collection amounted to 63.50.

Apr-1-1914. The Womans Foreign Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Chaney. Meeting called to order by the President. Mrs. TenEyck had charge of devotions and read as a scripture lesson Eph-3-14-21. Prayers offered by Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Thornburg. Song "My Jesus I love thee". Roll Call to which Eleven members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted.

It was taken by consent by society, that minuts of the public Thank Offering service be recorded in Secretary book. There being no further business Mrs Cobb took charge of the Lesson hour. A song was sung by society - Entitled The Steady Subscriber" (Meaning the Missionary Friend) - The Lesson was given in story form by different members of the society, and coving the entire Jan. Friend. It was very interesting.

A piano solo by Mrs. Kettering was gratefully enjoyed by all-

Closing prayer offered by Miss Ellen Keenan.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achuina Sec.

May 6- 1914

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Ackerman. The meeting was called to order by the President. Devotions were led by Mrs. Cora Shaffer. First was a song- "More Love to Thee." Scripture lesson read from John 17- 13- 23- Prayer offered by Mrs Laura Kerns. Song (Blessed Assurance.) Roll call which thirteen members responded- and two visitors present.

A motion was made and carried that the bill, of what ever amount it was, be allowed to Mrs Frederick, for postage and other items of expense.

A motion was made and carried that over special work money go into the general fund until fall, then again we will take up the special support of bible women again.

No further business, Mrs. Calling Zimmerman took up the study of the lesson, a review of "The King's Business." Drilling the King's Army, "The King's Treasury" And "The Unity of the Kingdom."

Mrs. Cobb offered the closing prayer.

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Mrs. Ackerman Sec.

The Treasurer report - Thank offering 63. 50

June 3 - 1914

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs Clara R Lider. The meeting was called to order by the President, who also read for the scripture lesson Eph. 3-14-21 verses. Prayers offered by mrs. Guggeli and miss Acheson. Roll call to which nineteen members responded with scripture quotations. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. It being guest day, the business hour was dispensed with and the following program was given: Piano solo by mrs. Kettering. mrs. Leasure and mrs Cobb each gave very interesting talks concerning our work in the foreign field. Vocal Solo - mrs. Mary Schermerhorn. Reading mrs. Frederick. Mystery box conducted by mrs. Dragger. Piano Duett - mrs. Acheson & mrs. Frederick. This closed the program after which light refreshments were served and all enjoyed a good time together.

mrs. Leasure Pres.
mrs. Acheson Sec'ry

July 1- 1914

The U.F.M.S met in the lecture room of the church, as guests of the standard-bearer society. Only eight members responded to enjoy the splendid program.
The president of the standard bearer ~~society~~ called the meeting to order.
First was a song "The Way of the cross leads home" followed by another song "On the Shining Side"
Scripture lesson from the 16th Psalm 1-10 verses was read by Miss Mary Clark. Prayers offered by Mrs McCord & Mrs. Frederick
Vocal solo- Miss Helen Schaab.
Piano Solo- Miss Dorthy Rowland
Reading- Miss Viola Frederick
Piano Solo- Miss Helen Schaab.
This ~~enjoyed~~ the closed the program and all enjoyed a social hour together.

Mrs. Leaison Pres
Miss Eckenroth Secy

Aug. 5- 1914.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. J. N. Sheffer.
The Pres. called the meeting to order. Scripture lesson found - II Corinthians 8-1 was read by Mrs. Thornburg. Prayer offered by Mrs. Myers. Song "Blessed Assurance." Roll call to which fifteen members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. It was moved, seconded and carried that the society use the skeleton programs for the coming year as given in the Friend. The chair appointed the following committee to arrange the same. Mrs. Frederick, Mrs. Kuhlman Mrs. Van Eyck.
Moved, seconded and carried that we have a nominating committee appointed by the chair which resulted in the following names. Mrs. J. D. Myers - Mrs. McCord and Miss Allie Zimmerman. "The First Mite box opening" was read by Mrs. Kuhlman. Music by Mrs. Thornburg. Mite box conducted by Mrs. Snyder.
Mite box offering _____ Meeting was closed by all singing the Doxology.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Ackerman Sec.

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Sept 2- 1914

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of mrs Hattie Altenburg. meeting was called to order by the President. Scripture lesson was read from I Cor. 12- 4-12 vrses. by mrs. Myers. Prayers offered by mrs. Rank and Mrs. Myers. Roll Call to which 15 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. Cor. Sec. read a letter from the District Pres. Mrs. Chandler, urging a large number to attend the Branch and District meetings. A very interesting letter was read from Miss Galloway - of China.
The program committee reported, ~~the work of~~ and read the program for the coming year, the same was accepted.
Election of Officers, resulted in the same ones being retained for another year.
mrs. Leasure Pres.
mrs. Kuhlman Vice Pres.
mrs. Richmire Rec. Sec.
mrs. Frederick- Cor. Sec.
mrs Rank Treas.
mrs. Snyder Mite Box Supt
mrs Cobb Supt Y. P. Work.
Miss Gygerli " Children "

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Closing prayer offered by- mrs. M.c Carg.
mrs Leasure- Pres.
mrs. Richmire Sec.

* Reading - mrs. Lulu Brown

Oct 7-1914

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Nina TenEyck. Meeting was called to order by the president. Mrs. DePew had charge of the devotions and read from John 4-35-36. Matt. 9-35-38 Mark 6-32-37. Prayers offered by Mrs. DePew and Mrs. Thornburg. Roll call to which 14 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. The Resignation of Miss Lena Gugerli, Supt. of Childrens work, was read. Same was accepted. Mrs. Lane was elected to fill the place. Committee apointed to arrange for the Open meeting held in Nov. is as follows.
Mrs. TenEyck - Mrs. Snyder - Mrs. Rant.
The Treasurer gave an excellent report of last years work. Total amount for the year, was $262.10.
This closed the business part of the Program, and was followed by three excellent readings,
The Third Prayer - mrs. Newhouse
The Noontide Prayer - mrs. Thornburg
The Urgent Hour - mrs. Lane.
Mystery box was conducted by Mrs. McCord,
Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Blaney.

Mrs. Leaoure Pres
Mrs. Achenine Sec'y

Nov. 4 – 1914.

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Willis Roads. Meeting was called to order by the President. Mrs. Rank had charge of the devotions and read as a scripture lesson from Luke I - 13,14, 57-66-80 verses. Prayer offered by Mrs. Achemire. Song - "Nearer my God to Thee" Roll call to which 22 members responded. Minuts of former meeting read and accepted. Mrs. Thornburg gave report of having collected $8.50 for Miss Melton, instead of a Xmas box. This amount is credited to the Auxilliary. Instead of the regular lesson Mrs. Thornburg gave her report of the Branch Meeting at Indianoplis, which was full of interesting things. Mrs. Leasure gave report of the Executive Meeting at Buffalo. which was very good.
Mrs. Fosdick conducted the Mystery Box.
music by Mrs Thornburg.
Meeting closed by all repeating the Lords Prayer.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achemire Sec.

Dec. 2-1914

The U. F. M. S met at the home of Mrs. Ora Brandar. Meeting called to order by the Presidn Mrs. Willis had charge of the devotions and read for the Scripture lesson
Prayer offered by Mrs. Leazure. Sang "Rescue the Perishing".
Roll call to which 29 members responded.
Minute of former meeting read and accepted.
Piano Duett, Mrs. Gatten - Mrs. Kettering.
Paper - read by Mrs. Binford.
Vocal Solo - Mrs. Harriett Adams.
A Dialogue - "How it ought to be done"
was given by members of the auxilliary.
Piano Solo - Ruth Grund.
Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Thornburg.
Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a social hour together.

Mrs. Leazure - Pres.
Mrs. Chaney. Sec. - Pro. Tem.

Jan. 3- 1915

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Bertha Frederick. Meeting was called to order by the President. Mrs. Anna Silvers had charge of the Devotions. Roll call to which 11 members responded. Minutes read and accepted. Money was paid flowers for one of our charter members who was called to her Heavenly Home Dec. 28-1914.

Mrs. Leasure read a message concerning the Missionary Jubilee Campaign for the next 5 yrs which will complete the 50 yrs of W. F. M. S.

Mrs. Frederick read letter from the new District president Mrs. Graham concerning the jubilee asking for Anniversary Prayer for all our Missionaries

Sec instructed to order cards for League.

Reading By Mrs. Bland - "The Story of Nancy & Nancy"

Mrs. Brandon read - "If it were my Child."

" Alda Rank read "Making Homes"

Mrs Leasure Pres.

Callie Zimmerman Sec-Pro. Tem.

Feb. 9 - 1915

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Kettering. The Pres. called the meeting to order. A song - "The Solid Rock" was sung followed by Scripture Lesson read by Mrs. Draggoo. Prayers offered by Mrs. Snyder & Mrs. Mason Roll call to which 14 members responded. Minute of former meeting read and accepted.

The Annual Thank Offering service was discussed at some length and finally resulted in a committee being appointed to arrange for a speaker for the service. The Committee is Mrs. Leasure, Mrs. Frederick Mrs. Snyder.

The Lesson - Chap. IV of the text book - "The child at Play and at Work" was given by Mrs. Ackerman

Mystery box conducted by Mrs. Frederick

Closing prayer offered by Lulu Brown.

Mrs Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Ackerman Sec.

March 3 1915.

The W. F. M. S. met at the hapel of Mrs. T. H. Leasure. The Pres. called the meeting to order. Song "There's not a friend like the Lowly Jesus." Scripture lesson read by Mrs. Ollie Kuhlman. Prayer offered by Mrs. Frederick and Miss Keenan. Roll call to which 18 members responded. Minute of former meeting read and accepted.

One new name was added to our membership list. Mrs. Lola Johnson. Plans for our Thank offering meeting were discussed ~~and resulted~~ It was decided by the society that we get Mrs. Nellie Mason Backus, to deliver the Thank-offering address on Sunday Eve. March 21

Mrs. Binford gave a very interesting lesson. Chap. IV. of the study book. "The Child at School."

Mrs. Ichenor gave a reading, "Little Ears Hear."

Closing prayer offered by Miss Keenan.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.

Mrs. Ichenor Sec'

April 13 - 1914

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Ada Lane. The meeting was called to order by the Pres. Miss Laura Keeran had charge of the devotions, which opened with a song "If your heart keeps right". A part of the 18th & 19th chapters of St Matthew was read for the scripture lesson. Prayers offered by Mrs. Frederick & Mrs. Kuhlman. Song. "I shall not be moved." Roll call to which 7 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted.

Mrs. Kuhlman was appointed Supt. of the Kings Heralds society.

The Pres. appointed the following committee to arrange for a church membership canvas to secure new members for auxiliary. Miss Laura Keeran - Mrs. Frederick & Mrs. Alda Rant.

Mrs. Kuhlman gave lesson from the Study book Chapter V. The child at worship."

Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Lane.

Mrs Leanna Pres

Mrs. Achsah Sec

May 5 - 1915.

The W. F. M. S met at the home of Mrs. Emma Draggoo. The President called the meeting to order. Mrs. Lulu Brown had charge of the devotional service. After Scripture reading a song was sung - "I will tell the Wonderous Story" Prayers offered by Miss Laura Keeran. Roll call to which 12 members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. It was moved and seconded that the Chair appoint a committee to meet with the Supt. of Young Peoples work - and to plan work for the coming year. Mrs. Kettering and Mrs. Echeniva were appointed.
Moved and seconded that we send one dollar to pay for the Jubilee Guide books.
Mrs. Cobb had charge of the Lesson - The last Chapter of the Study Book - "The Child at work for Christ."
Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Thomburg.

Mrs - Leaguer Pres.
Mrs. Echeniva Secy -

June 1 - 1915

The W.F.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Wm Mazyck Meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Leasure. Mrs. Lola Johnson read the scripture lesson from Isiah 60 chapter first six verses. Mrs. Buzzard sang our Jubilee Hymn "O Zion Haste". Prayer offered by Mrs. Willis.

Roll call to which fourteen members responded. Minutes of former meeting read and accepted. Mrs. Cobb gave report of the committee which met with the Pres. of Standard Bearer society; As the society was so small and so many girls being away for the summer, they that it best to leave it under the direction of the W.F.M.S. The condition was discussed. The Pres asked the Treas of the S.B. Society to have a meeting and prevail upon them to pay their dues and then take up the work in the fall. 73¢ was collected to pay for Jubilee Blue Books. Lesson Study was led by Mrs. Rhoads. "What is the most need in child life in Foreign Lands." Mrs. Callie Zimmerman gave the Mystery box. The names of new members was called for and Mrs Leasure reported me, 'Esther J. Wagone Closing prayer offered by Mrs. DeRew.

Mrs. Leasure. Pres.

- Mrs. Lane Sec'ry Pro. Tem.

July 7 - 1915

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of mrs. Leasure. meeting was called to order by the President.
Song. 'I need thee every hour."
Scripture Lesson read by mrs. Thomas.
Prayer offered by mrs. Hilkey.
Roll Call to which 20 members responded, and 7 visitors.
Minits of former meeting read and after one correction was accipted.
The Chair appointed the following committe to arrange program for the coming year. mrs. Rhoade.
mrs. Frederick mrs. Kuhlman.
Mrs. Brandon was appointed secretary of Jubilee work.
Mrs. Grace Frow a member of the Minneapolis Branch, gave an excellent Talk on the Jubilee Blue Book, giving the outline of work for the coming five years. Mrs. Frederick gave a Talk on the Woman's Missionary Friend urging all to subscribe for the magazine.
The Mite Box Supt. urged every member to be present at the next meeting and bring their mite boxes.
Mystery Box conducted by mrs Minnie Brandon.
Treasurer reported that the Thank Offering amounted to $3.2 00 for the year. Rev. Thornburg offered the closing prayer. All enjoyed a social hour together.
mrs. Leasure Pres. mrs. Ackerman Secty.

Aug. 4-1915.

The Womans Foreign Missionary Society met at the home of Mary Schermerhorn. Meeting was called to order by the President.

Song. "The Son of God goes forth to War." Scripture reading was led by Mrs. Brandon and the Subject was prayer. At the close of the scripture reading all united in repeating the Lords Prayer.

Roll call to which 10 members responded.

Minuts of former meeting read and accepted.

The Program Committe reported that they had begun work on programs for ~~coming~~ year.

The Chair appointed the following comittee as a nominating committe, Mrs. Brandon, Mrs. Gatten, Mrs. Schermerhorn.

Mrs. Kuhlman gave the lesson after which a number of sentence prayers were offered.

Mite boxes were opened- $26.22 reported.

All injoyed music on the Graphinola.

Closing prayer offered by Mrs. Gatten.

Mrs. Leasure Pres.
Mrs. Achenbach Secty.

Sept 1. 1915

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Herman Browne. Meeting was called to order by the Pres. Mrs. Leasure

Devotions led by Mrs. Cobb. reading the lesson from the 46th Psalm "Confidence in God," was da sub. Sing. "I need the every hour"

Roll call to which 12 members responded - Minis of former meeting read - and accepted.

Rev. Lowberry gave Talk on "Prominent need"

Mrs. Kettring "Calls for Young Women"

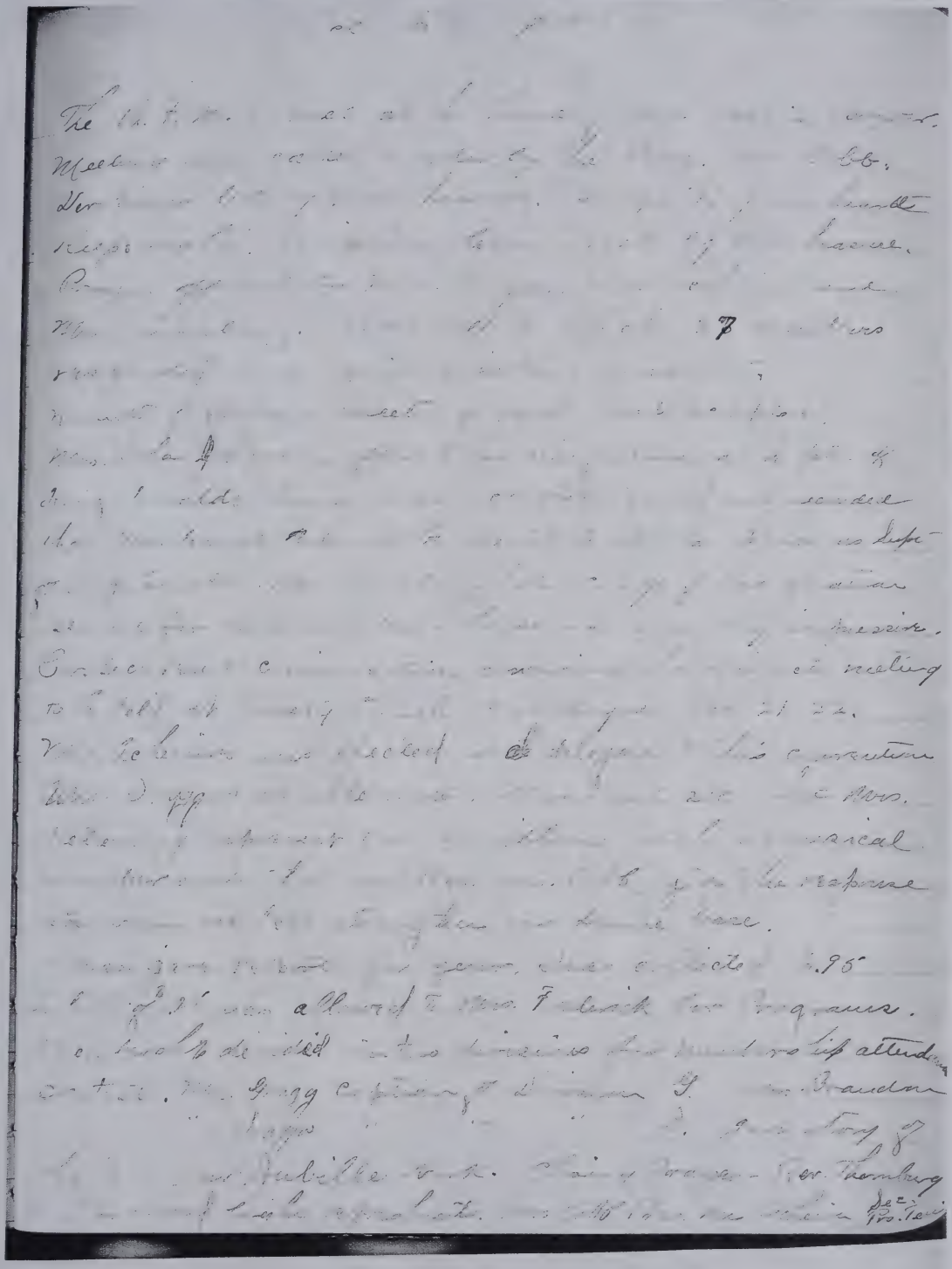
The following officers was elected for the coming Year.

Pres.	Mrs. Cobb.
Vice Pres.	Mrs. Lulu Browne
Rec. Sec.	Bertha Gatten
Cor. Sec.	Sarah Leasure
Treas.	Elda Rank
Miss Box Supt.	Lyda Snyder
Supt. of Standard Bearers	Carrie Bowen
Supt. Kings Heralds	Harriet Adams.

Meeting closed - to meet with Mrs. Bower in Oct.

Mrs Leasure - Pres

Mrs. Jimmerman Sec. Pro. Tem.



Dec. 1st 1915.

The W.F.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Vera Killen Called to order by our Pres. Mrs. Cobb. Devotion were led by Mrs. Thornburg followed by Prayer by Mrs. Fredrick & Miss Keran. Our Jubilee Song: "O Zion Haste. We sang with a will & then called Mrs. Leasure read communication from Mrs. Thomas urging Xmas offering for Miss Adams.

It was moved by Mrs. Frederick & 2nd by Miss Keran that the chair appt. some to distribute envelopes for Xmas. offering Roll call was responded to by short readings prepared by Mrs. Cobb, touching the "Xmas time".

Treas. reports 19¢ in Contingent Box There were 23 present. 21 members & 2 visitors. Collected $1.85

Mrs. Harriett Adams sang the beautiful song "At the close of a perfect day."

Under New Business — Mrs. Ackelmire resigned & Rec. Sec. Motion by Mrs Brandon & 2nd. by Mrs. Thornburg that Mrs. Lars Porter be elected Rec. Sec. Motion carried Lesson from "Kings Highway" was very ably conducted by Mrs. Fredrick assisted by Mrs. E. Draggoo & Mrs. Leasure & Miss Keran.

Mrs. Brandon conducted an interesting

Songs in the Blue Book. with much interest in the Jubilee.
Our Pres. requested every one to bring their Blue Book also study before singing. + to study Jubilee Song so we may sing it at every meeting. "O Zion Haste" was sung.
Com. appt. by Pres. to distribute envelops
Mrs. Paul.
" Zimmerman.
" Brown
Mrs Kiblinger a new member for section D.
Closing Prayer by Mrs. Kuhlmann.
Meeting closed to Meet with Mrs Binford Jan 5 th.
Mrs. Cobb Pres. + Mrs. Parker Rec. Sec. 1916.

Mrs. Cotton resigned as Recording Secretary instead of Mrs. Schuhmire.

Jan. 5 1916

The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Sarah Pearsure on Jan. 5th 1916. Meeting was called to order by the Pres. Mrs. Cobb. Devotionals were led by Mrs. Carney. Our Jubilee song was sung much better to the joy of every one present. We were then led in Prayer by Miss Ella Kerns followed by #248 in our Hymnals. Roll call 14 present. Minutes of last meeting were read. Our Corresponding Sec. reports all Missionary books & periodicals are paid up - except 3 members.

Our Treas. was absent so Mrs. Thornburg acted as Treas. Collection of dues $2.35

The Kings Heralds are very enthusiastic over their work. Have now 12 mite boxes & getting 12 more. All subscribe to Children's Friend that pay they can.

Our Corresponding Sec. announces 4 new subscriptions to Missionary Friend.

Our lessons in Kings Highway were conducted by Mrs. Ackelmire, assisted by Mrs. Pearsure - Cobb - Kerns Parker

Mrs. Fanning very ably conducted the "Mystery Box".

33 ¢ in the Contingent fund.

Our meeting closed with Prayer by Mrs. Leacure.

Mrs. Coob Pres. - Mrs. Parker. Rec. Sec.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. Calla Zimmerman. Feb. 2nd 1916.

Zimmerman Ind. Feb. 2nd-1916.

The W. F. M. S. met at home of Mrs. Calla Zimmerman. Meeting called to order by Pres. Song - Faith of our Fathers" was sung by the society. Miss Ella Kieran conducted the Devotions reading for scripture lesson Eph. 2-13 14 also 3 ch - 5-9-14-19 and leading in a fervent and inspiring prayer for the work in Foreign fields.

The Jubilee Hymn was then sung after which prayers were offered by Mrs. Lola Johnson - Mrs. Chas. Rant.

Roll Call was responded to by 17 members. Sec. Report of previous meeting read & approved. Mrs. Frederick acted as Cor. Sec. in absence of Mrs. Leasure - reported that Miss Kipp could give us her services sometime between 13th & 20th of Feb. Owing to the fact that Union Meetings were in progress a motion to defer the "Thank Offering service was made by Mrs. Rhodes sustained by Mrs. Dragoo. motion carried.

Treasurer reported $26.25 - had been contributed thus far for the Christmas Offering.

Dues collected $2.90 Contingent fund 25¢
The lesson for the day "A Nation at
School" was taken up with Mrs.
Cobb as leader assisted by Mesdames
Bower - Thornburg - & Frederick.
The Mystery Box was conducted by
Mrs. Rhodes.
Mrs. Bower reported that altho' work
had been planned & meetings called she
had not succeeded in doing much
with the Standard Bearers.
Mrs. Kettering added to the interest
& joy of the meeting by a piano solo.
The Meeting closed with prayer
by Mrs. Thornburg.

Mrs. Cobb Pres. Mrs. Rhodes.
Sec. Pro Tem.

A Social hour followed during which
hostess served refreshments.

Auburn Ind. Mar. 3rd 1916.

The W.F.M.S. met with Mrs. Rhodes. The Meeting was called to order by the Pres. Mrs. Cobb.

Song - "We give the but Thine own". was sung.

Mrs. Ten Eyke had charge of the Devotion The Topic of the lesson was "The Money Question". reading for Scripture Lesson Mal. 3: 7-12 and Matt. 5: 17-1

Prayers were offered by Mrs. Kuhlman + Mrs. Leasure.

Roll was called - sixteen members responding. Four visitors present.

The minutes of previous meeting read + approved.

The Pres. appointed Mrs. Frederick to act as Treas. instead of Mrs. Rank.

The question of the Thank offering service was taken up + decided. by Mrs. Leasure offering a motion to postpone our Thank Offering Service until later in the year. Motion sustained by Mrs. Ten Eyke. Motion carried.

Mrs. Cobb. reported that the Missionary Supt. of the S.A. requested that some member of the W.F.M.S. give a talk in

Thank Offering 9/1 ac
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Sunday - Dues Collected 35¢ Contingent fund 24¢
The Debate: Resolved - "That every Christian should be a Tither" Followed - with Mrs. Bowers affirming & Mrs. Leasure opposing. The following named ladies — Mrs. Thornburg - Kuhlman & Fosdick & Miss Keenan decided in favor of affirmative, altho many good points were made by negative Mrs. Aline Kuhlman conducted the Mystery Box in a very unique manner.

Reading of Program for next meeting by Pres. Followed by closing prayer by Miss Keenan.

Mrs. Cobb Pres. Mrs. Rhodes.
Sec. Pro Tem.

Apr. 5-1916.

The H. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Ackemire. The meeting was called to order by the Pres. Mrs. Cobb. Mrs. Gregg had charge of devotion The Song- "The Touch of his Hand on Mine"- was the opening song. The Scripture Lesson was taken from Matt.- 5-10-14 and - John 3-16-18. Prayer by Mrs. Lesure Minutes of previous meeting read & approved 10 members responded to Roll Call. Coin cards were given each member - The object being to raise money to assist Miss Melton in her work and also apply on Jubilee work. Mrs. Lesure was appointed Supt. of Mite Box for district. Some plans were discussed concerning Standard Bearer & King's Herald's work. The Treasurer reported our Xmas offering was $31.00 Mrs. Lesure proposed the chair appoint a committee of three to arrange a Thank offering program. Motion sustained by Ella Kuran. The Pres. asked for time to consider. Mrs. Braun gave a very interesting lesson on "Korea" from Study book. All felt many helpful suggestions were given concerning missionary work both at home as well as in foreign fields.

Mrs. Ella Raut offered the closing prayer. Mrs. S.E. Cobb Pres.

Mrs. Aline Kuhlmann
Sec. Pro. Tem.

Dues — $1.35

May. 3 - 1916.

The W. F. M. S. met at home of Mrs. Leasure. The Meeting called to order by our Pres. Mrs. Snyder had charge of the devotions. Song - "I need thee every hour" Prayer offered by Mrs. Leasure & Mrs. Silvers. Scripture Reading from Matt 23 - 31 - 33 & John 10 - 14 - 16 & John 20 - 19 - 21. Song "More about Jesus". Roll call - 20 Present. Minutes read & approved. Mrs. Leasure reported as chairman of Thank offering committee that Mrs. Walker would be with us Sunday Eve May 7th. Lesson was conducted by Mrs. Gregg assisted by Mrs. Cobb & Mrs. Rhodes. Mystery Box was conducted by Mrs. ~~Alla~~ Rank. Meeting closed to meet with Mrs. Aline Kuhlman June 7th. Closing Prayer offered by Mrs. Johnson - Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Cobb Pres.

Mrs. Achenbach. Sec. Treas.

Dues. $2.25

June 7th -16.

The W.F.M.S. met at the home of Mrs Olive Kuhlman. Called to order by our Pres. Mrs. Schermerhorn let Devotions with a song - "O Zion Haste", Scrip. - Call to Praise. Prayer by Mrs. Leasure & Mrs. Rant for summer schools - Song & Music - Song - "Rejoice ye pure in heart". Roll call - 25 present. Sec. Report read & approved. Report by Mrs. Leasure ~~budget~~ to fund for retired missionaries & workers - Retirement Fund.

Report ~~by~~ Mrs. Rant of Thankoffering Fund - $56.05 ~~Expenses~~ $6.50 $ 3-7 ow"

Reading of letter from Mrs. L.H. Langford (by the Pres.) asking for an Extention Sec. to interest all those not able to attend meetings, collect dues, distribute literature etc. It was moved & seconded that our Pres. appoint an Extention Sec. Mrs. Achmire was appointed to fill the place. It

The Lesson - Music & Missions & Oriental Music was ably conducted by Mrs. Schermerhorn.

A Dialogue - given by Mrs. Hobart Millie

Mrs. Achemore & Mrs. Frederick was highly appreciated by all present. Mrs Lane conducts the Mystery Box. Miss Ruth Grund rendered a beautiful piano Solo for which we all gave her a vote of thanks The Four new members were added to our Society.
Dues collected - $5.60.
Cantingent Fund - 37¢.
There were about 24 visitors present to enjoy the lovely program with us. Our program committe & Mrs. Kuhlman, are to be congratulated upon the fine program rendered.
Mrs. Cobb gave the closing prayer.

Mrs. Cobb Pres. Mrs. Lois [illegible]
Rec. [illegible] Sec

July 5th 1916.

The W.F.M.S. met at the Eckhart Park with Mrs. M. Boland as Hostess. Meeting opened by our Pres. Mrs. Cobb. Mrs. Bragg had charge of devotionals as acting for Mrs. Johnson. Scrip. Lesson from Isa - 42-4-7. Prayer by Mrs. Emilie Rant. Roll call 17 members Present. Sec. Report read & approved. Mrs. Leasure gave report on "Friend" and called attention to coin cards for Dr. Lyons support & Jubilee Fund for this year.

Report by our new Extention Sec. telling of her start in the work. Attention was called to our Mite Box Opening next month. Program Com. appointed today to report next month. This Com. is Mrs. Minnie Brandon - Mrs. Calla Zimmerman & Mrs. Carrie Bower.

One new member came into our Society today. We are asked to be thinking about District Meeting at Hunterstown & Branch Meeting at Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Frederick gave a reading.

The Pres discusses the children's Organizations. Light Bearers were organized with Mrs. Frederick Supt. Mrs. Hall is ready to organize The "Standard Bearers" when a Supt can be obtained. Moved & Seconded that the Pres. appoint Com. to organize the "Standard Bearers" Mrs. Olive Kuhlman. Mrs. Hall - Mrs. Bowers (One more) Committee of three - Mrs. Emma Dragoo - Mrs. Alice Frogs - Mrs. Fosdick - was appointed to finish plans for Xmas Thimble Party at Mrs. Blanche Snepp. The Blue Book was ably conducted by Mrs. Brandon.

Dues. Collected $4.00

Closing Prayer by Mrs. Hall.

After close of meeting all enjoyed a social hour & picnic Supper.

Mrs. Cobb Pres. & Mrs. Parks Cor. Sec.

$4.00 collected for further work

August 2nd. 1916.

The W.F.M.S. met Wednesday afternoon Aug. 2nd with Mrs. Nellie Snepp. The Pres. presided at the meeting. Miss Laura Kieran had charge of the Devotions which opened with a Song - "Blessed Assurance". Scrip. Lesson read from Jno-13—34-35 and Phil 2-5-11 followed by prayer by Miss Kaurson.

Cor. Sec. read a letter from Jessie McDowell telling of the sad news of the death of our missionary; Miss Mary E. Walton.

Roll call - 16 present and 2 visitors.

Minutes read & accepted. Miss Agnes Hall and ~~Margaret~~ Brown represented the Kings Heralds and gave a number of dolls for the Xmas Box to be sent to foreign fields. Mrs. Bertha Frederick read program for coming year. With one or two changes report was accepted.

Owing to conditions we were not able to send box to foreign fields. It was voted to send some to the Orphanage at — under supervision of Home M S Mrs. Frederick

Supt. of Little Light Bearers reported 16 six members. As yet no leader has been secured for Standard Bearers.

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Next meeting will be election of officers + following nominating Com. was appointed. Mrs. Brandon - Mrs. Bowie - Della Zimmerman. Devi[illegible]
Mrs. Achamire conducted the Mystery Box. Report of Mite Box Opening $3.09
Meeting closed with Lords Prayer,

Mrs. Cobb Pres. Mrs. L. Pope
Rec. Sec.

Sept. 6 - 16

The W.F.M.S. met with Mrs. F.A. Hall on Sept 6-16. Meeting called to order by Pres. Devotions were led by Mrs. Snyder. Song - "Every Thing to God in Prayer" was followed by Scrip. Reading. Prayers were then offered by Mrs. Zimmerman & Mrs. Brandon.

Mrs. Frederick next gave an interesting & beneficial review of our next years study on "Holds Missions & World Peace" by Caroline - Atwater - Mason.

Mrs. Karle conducted the Mystery Box.

Roll call with 23 members present.

Sec. Report read & approved. All were asked to attend Convention that could.

Mrs. Rant gave Treas. Report. The Amount for Special work $5.7.50

" " Retirement Fund

" of Dues Collected $9.95 Sept.

Report of Committees. Mrs. Frederic Supt. of Light Bearers. 11 members. Mrs. Tehuns Two (2) new members on Extension Work.

Mrs. Brandon report on Blue Book. Mrs. Leasure is full fleged M.O.G.H. for 2 years & Mrs. Frederic 1 year.

Mite Box Supt. gives out 40 for ~~last~~ coming year.

Rev. Hall announces the Missionary Convention of Ft. Wayne district. The Com.

appointed to get ready for supper was
Mrs. Dragoo - Mrs. Thomas & Mrs. Rhodes.
Elections of officers for coming year
came next with the following results.
Mrs. Achenire Pres. Mrs. Sadie Johnson. Vice. Pres.
Mrs. Leasure Cor. Sec. Mrs. Parker Rec. Sec.
" Rant Treas. Mile Boy Supts. Mrs Thomas
& Mrs. Snyder. Mrs. Frederick Supt.
Light Bearers. Mrs. Gossett Supt. of Standard
Bearers & Mrs Leasure Supt. of Kings
Haarolds.
New Programs were distributed by
the Committee.
2 visitors were present.
Refreshments were served by hostess.
Meeting closed with Prayer by pastor

Mrs. Cobb Pres. Mrs. Porter
Rec. Sec.

Oct. 10-16.

The W. F. M. S. (of the M.E. Church) met Tues. Oct 10 at the home of Mrs. Lolo Johnson. Meeting was opened by our Pres. Mrs. Ackemire. Mrs. Calla Zimmerman has charge of the Devotions. Special Prayers were rendered for the Missionary work by Mrs. Leasure - Mrs. Cobb - Mrs. Frederick & Mrs. Zimmerman. Mrs. Hall gave a very interesting & uplifting report of the Branch Meeting. from which we all gleaned many new inspirations. Mrs. Bower very ably conducted the lesson. 1st Chapter in the study "War & the Kingdom." Mrs. Kuhlman next gave an interesting reading. Roll Call with 19 present & 1 visitor. Minutes of previous meeting read & approved. Mrs. Snyder resigned as Mite Box Supt. Mrs. Thomas selected Mrs Brown as her assistant. 15 mite boxes were distributed.
It was moved & seconded that Mrs. Frederick act as delegate to convention at Angola. Mrs. Elva Stone as alternate delegate. Collections $4.80.
Bills read & approved. Mrs. Bower 33¢ for leaflets - postage & helps. Mrs Leasure - $1.25 for blank programs.

Mrs. Fredrick reported 4 new members
& in the Light Bearers.
Mrs. Brandon conducted Blue Book.
Miss Keenan closes with prayer.

Mrs. Achenire Pres.
Mrs. Lois Parker. Sec.

After the meeting closed our hostess
Mrs. Johnson served some very fine
fudge. I am sure we all showed
our appreciation.

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Nov. 1-16.

The W.F.M.S. of M.E. Church met Nov. 1. 16 with Mrs. Lula Kettering. Meeting was opened by our Pres. Mrs. Achemire. Mrs. Minnie Buss had charge of the devotions. Hymn 386 - Prayer by Miss Laura Keeran. After which all sang our Missionary Hy. #684.

Mrs. Frederick reported 2 new members for our "Light Bearers." Mrs. Gossett reported that the "Lts. Bearers" met & organized with 8 present. Mrs. Leasure reported 2 more "King's Heralds". Mrs. Leasure reminded us again that it was time to renew "The Friend". The Treas. Mrs. Raub gave a full report of last years work. We have one more M.O.G.H. - Mrs. Lee Kuhlman. 2 Little Light Bearers have joined the Jubilee Legion - Ethel Mae Kuhlman & Mary Elizabeth Brandon. Mrs. Frederick gave a very interesting report of the Convention at Angola. Bringing many new & inspiring thoughts home to us. Mrs. Achemire gave a very full & comprehensive account of the lesson - "Christian Conquest in Europe." 7.28 dues collected.

Roll call gave number present

31 and 8 new members added to our number! [written] See. report read & approved
A Storyette was given by Mrs. Lane entitled a "Chinese Polyanna".
Mrs. Cobb had charge of the Mystery Box. Collection —
The Meeting closed with prayer by Mrs Emeline Rout.

Mrs. Acheson Pres.
Mrs. L. Parker Rec. Sec.

Dec. 6-16-

The W.F.M.S. of M.E. Church met with Mrs. Achenire Dec. 6- Meeting called to order by our Pres. Mrs. Achenire. Mrs. Emiline Rant being unable to attend Mrs. Achenire gave a few timely thoughts concerning the Preperation of Devo Very fervent prayers were given by Mrs. Leasure - Mrs. Hall - Mrs. Stone - & Miss Ella Keeran. Sang. Our Missionary Hymn-634 - Roll call - members present 1 Sec. report read & approved. At this time Kings H & St. B. bands have each 20 members. Correspondi Sec. read a "Christmas Greeting" letter from new Dist Pres. It was moved & seconded that Pres. appoint committee of three to get & distribute two envelopes for Xmas Thankoffering. Com- Mrs. Achenire - Rhinehold & Chaney. Mrs. Frederick gives short discussion of a dialogue - The Jubelee Lecture - that was to be given at the date but was postponed until later. Plans discu & it was settled that this entertainment be given Moved & seconded that it be given. Pres. appoint committee of five to work it up. Namely - Mrs. Frederick - Mrs. Hall - Mrs. Fosdick - Mrs Kettler - Mrs. Stone. Mrs. E.E. Brown has Xmas Leaflet. Mrs. Parker conducted the Mys Box which is becoming more interesting with each meeting. Mrs. Leasure announced that a Institute to be held in Lowell Dec 15 & 16 Collection 2.90 Mrs. Achenire Pres.
Closing Prayer by Mrs Rhinehold " Parker Sec.

Jan. 4-17.

The W. F. M. S. of M.E. Church met at the home of Mrs. E.E. Brown Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Achemire. Devotions were led by Mrs. Cobb. with our Missionary Hymn. 654. Scripture Lesson was taken from Ephesians. Very earnest Prayers were rendered by Miss Brown & Mrs. Achemire & Mrs. Rout. Roll call with no. present 21. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Report of Kings Heralds were encouraging - 18 at last meeting & 23 members. Mrs. Chaney called upon Mrs. Sarah Weaver & Mrs Casebeer who sent greetings to the Society. The Motion was put before the Society that by Mrs. Frederick that we get Miss Julia Hodge & Miss Klopfenstein to give lectures instead of the play before decided upon. Motion was carried also a motion was carried that the same committee arrange for these lectures & report at next monthly meeting. Mrs. Gotten very ably conducted the lesson on "Christian Conquest in Western Europe". Mrs. C. Zimmerman gave a paper "Cleaning up For East" which was very interesting & showed they really needed shining up. Mystery Box was conducted by Mrs. Frederick. Closing Prayer by Auntie Rout. Meeting Collection 7.05 Mrs Achemire Pres

Mrs. Lois E. Parker Rec. Sec

Feb. 7-17.

The W.F.M.S. of M.E. Church met at the home of Mrs C.E. Fredericks. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Zimmerman had charge of Devotions. Missionary Hymn No. 645. - Scripture Lesson followed by Prayer by Mrs. Stone & Mrs. Leasure. Roll call showing 23 members present also seven (7) visitors. Sec. Report read and approved. Corresponding Sec. reported some work especially calling attention to Retired Missionaries Retirement Fund. "Standard Bearers" Supt. reported fine meetings and getting along finely. "Light Bearers" had no meeting last month - too cold. Distribution of Thank offering Envelopes. Mrs. Gossett gave a beautiful piano solo. Thank-Offering Sunday was arranged for in two weeks. Mrs. Hall conducted the Lesson. The District Worker was Mrs Frye - was with us & gave an interesting talk and very beneficial to all. A Quartett of our Ladies gave a beautiful Selection. Mystery Box was conducted by Mrs. Dragoo. An appeal by our President asking for more special workers was followed by Closing Prayer. Collection. - Mrs Achmire Pres.

March 7th 17.

The W.F.M.S. of M.E. Church met Mar. 7th. at the home of Mrs. Martha Kitsinger. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Achenmire. Mrs. Chaney had charge of the devotions. The Jubilee Hymn was sung followed by Prayers by Mesdames Silvers & Cobb. Song- "Crown Him Lord of All" sung by all Roll Call, members present 18. Last months report read & approved. The Supts of each auxillary gave a report of their work. Mrs. Hall gave an interesting review of the meeting at Ft. Wayne. Mrs. Leasure has charge of the Lesson. One new member was added to the society. Mrs. Hall gave closing prayer.

Mrs. Achenmire Pres.

Mrs Gossett Rec. Sec

april 4 - 1917.

The W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. Calla Zimmerman april 4. 1917. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Achenmire. Devotions were led by Mrs. Mellie Weaver. Special prayers were offered for Missions in South America. Roll was called & 13 members responded. Minutes were read & approved. Mrs. Leasure gave short report, calling attention to our District obligation. Moved & seconded that this obligation be taken from mite Box offering. Mrs. Achenmire announced the big meeting at Ft. Wayne Apr. 17. & requested all to attend that could do so. All were requested to attend the meetings at Christian Church. Mrs. Cobb has lesson. Subject being — Women of South America. A very interesting Geog. class was conducted. A Lesson Leaflet "The Women of South America" was read by Mrs. Lois Parker. Mrs. Geo. Kuhlman conducted the Mystery Box. Mrs. Johnson closed the meeting with Prayer.

Collection. ——

Mrs. Achenmire. Pres.
Mrs. Parker - Rec. Sec.

May 2nd/17.

The Foreign Missionarys. met with mrs. Bell Cockran May 2nd. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Achemire. Mrs. Hildirson had charge of devotions, lesson & song followed by Scripture Reading. Mrs. Leasure offered prayer. Roll Call - 10 members responded. Mrs. Frederick announced 10 were at the big branch meeting. Mrs. Achemire announced the slides to be shown at the church June 17. - Subj. "Heretage of Half a Century." all ladies urged to come. Mrs. Hall gave an interesting report of meeting at Ft. Wayne. Mrs. Achemire conducted the lesson. Subject being "Heroism of the Christian Conquest." Mrs. Gatten gave an instrumental solo much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Alda Rank conducted the Mystery Box. Mrs. Frederick gave in detail the answer to last question of Mystery Box which was very interesting and touching. One new member was added to H. Society. Meeting closed with Prayer by Mrs. Hall.

Collection —

Mrs. Achemire Pres.

Mrs. Clouse Rec. Sec. Pro Tem.

June 6th 1917.

The W.F.M.S. of M.E. Church met at the home of Mrs. Rinehold. Meeting called to order by Pres. Mrs. Achemire Mrs. Hall had charge of the Devotio[nal]. Song – "Blest be the tie that binds" followed by Prayers by Mrs. Derrick – Mrs. Kuhlman & Mrs. Leasure. 15 members responded to Roll call with two visitors present. The minutes of last meeting read & approved. Corresponding Sec. gave her report. Mrs. Hall announced that we would have a group meeting held in M.E. Church July. Mrs. Achemire urged every member to be for July 1st & see the slides Dorothy Rowland gave a piano solo which was greatly enj[oyed] by all. Mrs. Leasure had charge of Ro[ll] Lesson. The last chapter of the Study Book. Mrs. Rhinehold gave a readin[g] as "The Building of a Kingdom".

Meeting closed with Prayer by Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. Achemire. Pres.
Mrs. Oline Kuhlmans Sec

Jean

July 3rd 1917.

The W. F. M S. met with Mrs. Stone. Mrs. Johnson had charge of Devotions. Song. "Rescue the Perishing". Prayer Offered by Mrs. Kuhlman & Rant. Mrs. Achenire reported $5.40 for our treasury from collection given July 17. The Pres. urged us to be ready for our mite box opening in August. Mrs. Fasdick extended an invitation to the members for a picnic at Hamilton. Mrs. Leasure moved the invitation be accepted second by Mrs. Deragoo. motion carried. Mrs. Stone moved that a committee be appointed to look after arrangements, sec. by Mrs. Hall, motion carried. Mrs. Hilderson ~~gave the money~~ ~~met the~~ placed her little daughters name, anna Ruth on the book of remembrance Mrs. Leasure made a motion that a committee be appointed to raise the money for life membership motion carried. Mrs. Frederick had charge of the lesson. Mrs. Deragoo gave a reading entitled. "A Jubilee Message" Mrs. Snyder gave a reading "A Backward Glance" Mrs. Rant read "Methodism" "The W. F. M S." by Mrs Bower. "Today" Mrs. Rhades. and "Shadows" by Mrs. Thomas. Mrs. Lane gave reading on "The Filipino Girl" in action" Mrs. Leasure had the Mystery Box.

Mrs Achemire appointed Mrs. Jimmerson
& Mrs Bauer as Com. with Mrs. Foedick
As a committee for Life Membership
Mrs. Leavens Mrs Kuhlman & Mrs.
Thomas. Meeting closed with Prayer
by Mrs. Achemire. 16 members Pris.

Mrs Achemire Pres.

Collection Mrs. Kuhlman Sec. Pro Tem

Aug. 1 st. 1917.

The August meeting of the W.F.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. J.N. Sheffer. Mrs. Minnie Brandon Conducted the Devotions. Song followed by Prayers by Mrs. Hall & Mrs. Lowe. Song - "Blest Be the Tie." Roll Call with 18 present & One new Member. Mrs. Cook. Minutes of last meeting read & approved. The committee decided not to mix Programs of H.M. & F.M. Societies. Pres. appointed Program Committee of three - namely Mrs. Stone - Frederick & Chairman Allen Mrs. Hall - chairman of Nominating Com. assisted by Mrs. Lowe & Brown. Mrs. Gossett gave report on Std. Bearers. Mrs. Frederick gave report on Little Light Bearers - 12 present last meeting held. The chairman not being here of Com. to decide about Life Member of one Little Light Bearer - Mrs. Frederick announced that Hilda Mae Shearer being the youngest member of the society ~~and suggested~~ she be made Life Member. Motion was made & carried that Hilda Mae Shearer be made Life Member by the society this year. There were three very interesting letters read by our Pres. One from Mrs. Thomas at Ft. Wayne also letter from our own missionary Pauline Place and one from Miss Brauer supported by Miss Aschemore.

Mrs. Bowman read the minutes of last
meeting. Mrs. Hoffman had
arranged a short program. Mrs. Shaffer
gave a short story, subject - "Greater
than Charlemagne". A very interesting
dialogue was given by four ladies -
Mrs Reiner - Thomas Russell - Frederick
entitled - "In a Village of India". A piano
solo by Mrs. Gassell was enjoyed by all.
Mile Box opening at this time amounted
to $13.56. The "Mystery Box" was
omitted for lack of time.
Meeting closed with prayer by our
Bro..
Collection.

Mrs. Achenbach. Pres.
Mrs. L. Parker. Rec. Sec.

P.S. After the meeting Mrs. Shaffer
served the ladies a delicious iced
drink. It being a very hot day
it was doubly appreciated by every
one.

Sept. 5, 1917

The September meeting of the W. F. M. S. was held at the parsonage with Mrs. Hall as hostess.

Mrs. Johnson, vice president, opened the meeting. Missionary Hymn was sung, and Miss Laura Keran had charge of devotions, the subject being "Efficiency." Song, Onward Christian Soldiers.

After Roll Call, the minutes were read and approved.

Report of Program Committee was given by Mrs. Galten, and report was accepted.

An interesting letter from Mr. and Mrs. Springer was read.

The treasurer was authorized to secure new books for treas. and secretary for next year.

Mrs. Rhodes had charge of lesson, a series of short readings.

The treasurer, Mrs. Rauh, gave her report for the year.

The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Leasure, also gave year's report.

Election of officers was then

held with the following result.
President Mrs. Vantuppe Achenin
V. Pres. — Mrs. Lola Johnson
Rec. Sec. — Mrs. Bertha Gallen
Cor Sec. — Mrs. Sarah Leasure
Treasurer — Mrs. Alda Rauh

The following superintendents were appointed:

Mite Box — Mrs. Dan Thomas
Asst. Mite Box — Mrs. Lulu Brown
Standard Bearers — Mrs. Dorcas Shearer
Kings Heralds — Mrs. Sarah Leasure
Little Light Bearers — Mrs. Bertha Frederick
Jubilee Secretary — Mrs Ora Brandon

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer in concert.

A social hour followed with light refreshments.

Mrs. Achenine, Pres
Mrs. Parker Sec.

W. F. M. S. Membership - 16-17-

		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept.
1	Vantiepa Achemire.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	
2	Hattie Altenburg.												
3	Minnie Brandon	P	P	P	P		P					P	P
4	Letta Boland												
5	Carrie Bower	P								P			
6	Margaret Brown	P											
7	Lulu Brown	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P
8	Sarah Chaney	P	P	P	P	P	P						
9	X Nannie Casebeer												
10	Sadie Cobb	P	P	P	P	P	P						
11	Belle Cochran	P						P	P				
12	Emma Dragoo	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P				
13	Mrs. DeLew												
14	Josephine Fosdick												
15	Jennie Fanning.	P											
16	Bertha Frederick	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
17	X Kate Ferguson												
18	X Lena Guyerli												
19	Rosanna Hilbey												
20	Velona Hollister	P											
21	Minnie Jackman	P											
22	Cora Johnson												
23	Ella Kieran	P	P	P							P	P	
24	Laura Kieran	P										P	
25	Laila Kettering	P		P	P								
26	Eva Karle								P				

16-17. (Cow)

		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
27	Olive Kuhlman	P	P	P	P	P	P	-	P		P	P	P
28	X Viola Kessler											
29	Sarah Leasure	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
30	ada Lane					P					P	P
31	Mollie Myers											
32	Esther Mason											
33	X Catherine Rowland											
34	Emeline Raut		P		P	P	P					
35	alda Raut	P	P	P	P	P	P	-	P	P	P	P
36	Clara Rhodes				P						F	
37	Della Rinehold			P						P		
38	Lyda Snyder									P	P	
39	Anna Silvers	P	P				P					
40	Cora Sheffer		P									
41	Mary Schermerhorn					P						
42	X Ethel - Schlatter											
43	Nellie Snepp					P						
44	Nina Lee Eyke		P									
45	X Bertha Thornburg											
46	X Sarah Weaver		P									
47	X Saloma Thomas					P						
48	Ella Braun		P									
49	Viola Wilderson		P	P	P	P	P		P			
50	Verah Willems										P	
51	Mariah Willis		P								P	
52	Calla Zimmerman	P	P	P	P	P					P	P

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		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
53	~~Priscilla Zimmerman~~												
54	Alma Huffman												
55	Bertha Gatten		P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	
56	~~Lena Binford~~ X												
57	~~Harriett Adams~~ X												
58	Lola Johnson	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	
59	Esther Haganer X												
60	Mrs. Blaney X												
61	Alice Gregg X												
62	~~Mrs.~~ Mae Thomas	P									P	P	
63	Mrs. C.P. Shreves												
64	~~Mrs. Minnie Packer~~ X												
65	Lois Parker.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	
66	Belle Miser												
67	Mrs. Kiblinger					P						P	
68	Minnie Buse		P	P									
69	Dorcas Shearer												
70	Mrs. F.A. Hall	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P	
71	Bessie Clause		P		P	P	P	P			P	P	
72	Elva Stone	P	P	P			P						
73	Mrs. Harrew Light												
74	Marguerette Lewis X												
75	Oline Rudd.												
76	Mrs. Sirface.												
77	Mrs. Whitington.			P									
78	Mrs. Alice Lewis.												

	Oct. Nov.	Dec. Jan.	Feb. Mar.	Apr. May.
Mrs. Zuenaig				
Mrs. Walsh.				
Mrs anna Rainier	P			
Mrs. Nora Rainier.		P		
Mrs. Belle Gossett. X	P		P P	
Mrs Mrs Magyar X				P
Mrs Nell Hebbeman				
Mrs Vaciton			P	
Mrs. Alpha Hemstreet				
Mrs Cook.				

W. F. M. S. Membership 1915-16

		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
1	Vautippa Acheuire	P	P					P	P	P	P	P	
2	Kattie Altenburg		P	P									
3	Minnie Brandon	P	P	P					P	P	P	P	
4	Letta Boland			P			P			P	P		
5	Carrie Bower	P				P	P			P		P	
6	Margaret Brown		P									P	
7	Lulu Brown	P	P	P			P		P	P		P	P
8	Sarah Chaney		P		P								
9	Mamie Casebeer												
10	Allie Clark X												
11	Katie Cobb	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
12	Belle Cochran												
13	Emma Draggoo	P	P	P			P	P	P	P	P	P	P
14	Mrs. DeBow		P										
15	Grace Eckhart X											P	
16	Josephine Fredrick		P				P			P			
17	Jennie Fanning	P			P								
18	Bertha Frederick	P	P	P	P		P		P	P	P	P	P
19	Kate Ferguson												
20	Lena Gugerli												
21	Roseanna Kilkey												
22	Velma Kollister											P	
23	Minnie Jackman	P	P	P						P			
24	Cora Johnson			P									
25	Ellen Keenan	P	P		P	P		P		P		P	
26	Laura Keenan	P		P			P				P	P	

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		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
53	Verah Millemar	P		P									
54	Mariah Millis						P	P	P				
55	Callie Zimmerman		P	P		P				P		P	P
56	Priscilla Zimmerman												
57	Alma Huffman												
58	Myrtle Griffin X												
59	Bertha Gatten					P	P						
60	Lena Binford												
61	Harriet Adams			P				P					
62	Lola Johnson	P				P		P	P			P	
63	Esther G. Wagoner												
64	Mrs. Blaney												
65	Alice Grogg	P	P				P	P	P	P	P	P	
66	Mrs. Dan Thomas	P						P			P	P	
67	Mrs. C. P. Shaw		P										
68	Mrs. Minnie Packer		P			P							
69	" Lois Parker		P	P					P	P		P	
70	" Belle Miser												
71	" Kiblinger			P									
72	" Minnie Buss					P		P	P				
73	" Dorcas Shearer												
74	" F. A. Hall							P	P	P	P	P	P
75	Bessie Clouse								P			P	P
76	Mrs. Elva Stone											P	P
77	Mrs. Warren Lige											P	
78	" Marguerite Lewis								P				

F. E. Eckhart

Rev. F. F. Thomburg.

79- Mrs. Oline Rudd

W. F. M. S. Membership for 1914-1915

		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
1	Achenbach - Santippa	P	P	P		P	P	P	P			P	
2	Altenburg, Hattie			P									
3	Brandau, Minnie	P		P	P		P				P	P	
4	Boland - Letta			P	P				P				
5	Bauer Carrie	P		P									
6	Brown Margaret											P	
7	Brown Lulu	P	P	P	P			P		P		P	
8	Chaney Sarah			P									
9	Casebeer Nannie												
10	Clark Lillie			P									
11	Cobb Sadie	P		P	P	P		P		P	P	P	P
12	Cochran Belle												
13	Draggoo Emma	P				P		P	P				
14	DePew		P						P	P			
15	Eckhart Grace			P									
16	Fosdick Josephine			P	P								
17	Fanning Jennie	P		P									
18	Frederick Bertha	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	
19	Ferguson Kate												
20	~~Fields Rose~~												
21	Gergerli Lena												
22	Helkey Roseanna												
23	Hollister Velona												
24	Jackman Minnie	P		P	P		P						
25	Johnson Cora				P								

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		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
26	Keeran Ellen	P						P					
27	Keeran Laura	P			P	P			P	P			
28	Kettering Laila	P			P		P			P	P		P
29	Karle Eva							P				P	
30	Kuhlman Alice	P	P	P	P	P		P	P	P			
31	Kessler Viola						P				P		
32	Leasure Sarah	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
33	Lane Ada		P	P	P		P		P		P		P
34	McCord Eliza	—	P			Absent							
35	Myers Millie												
36	Mason Esther						P				P		
37	Rowland Catherine												
38	Rank Emeline	P		P	P							P	
39	Rank Ulda	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P	P
40	Rhoads Clara	P		P	P					P	P		
41	Rheinhold Della			P			P						P
42	Snyder Lyda	P	P	P	P		P				P	P	
43	Sylvara Anna	P		P	P	P	P						
44	Shaffer Cora			P									
45	Scherpenhorn Mary											P	P
46	Schlatter Ethel												
47	Snepp Nellie												
48	TenEyck Nina	P	P	P	P			P					
49	Thornburg Bertha	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P			P
50	Thornburg - Mrs. O.V.	P		P				P					

		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
	Neater Sarah												
	Thomas Salome										P		
	Braun Ella											P	
	Wadsworth Elizabeth	P					P						
	Wilderson Viola												
	Williams Sarah	P	P								P		
57	Willis Mariah	P	P	P			P				P		
58	Zimmerman Callie			P	P						P	P	P
59 C	Zimmerman Priscilla												
60	Kuhlman Alma												
61	Griffen Myrtle	P											
62	Gatten Bertha		P	P		P	P		P				P
63	Binford Lena			P		P	P		P				
64	Adams Harriett			P							P		
65	Johnson Lola	P					P		P				
	Esther T. Wagoner												
	Mrs Blaney												
68	Mrs. Gregg	P											
	F. E. Eckhart												
	Rev. V. F. Hamburg												P

Membership List for 1913-1914

		Oct.	Nov.	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept
1	Achemire, Antippa	P			P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
2	Alteburg, Hattie												P
3	Brandon, Minnie	P	P	P	P		P		P	P		P	P
4	Boland, Lettie	P		P									
5	Bower, Carrie	P											
6	Brown, Margaret	P											
7	Ballinger, Daisy												
8	Brown, Lulu	P					P						P
9	Chaney, Sarah		P	P			P	P					
10	Casebeer, Nannie												
11	Clark, Allie												
12	Cobb, Sadie	P		P			P	P	P	P	P	P	
13	Cochran, Belle			P									
14	~~Cuykendall, Bertha~~												
15	Draggoo, Emma		P				P			P	P		P
16	Eckhart, Grace												
17	Fosdick, Josephine			P						P			
18	Fanning, Jennie			P									
19	Frederick, Bertha	P	P		P	P	P			P	P	P	P
20	Ferguson, Kate												
21	Gugerli, Lena												
22	~~Harrestock, Maud~~												
23	Hilkey, Roseanna												
24	Hollister, Velona	P											
25	Jackman, Minnie												

	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
26 Keenan, Ellen													
27 Keenan, Laura													
28 Kettering, Laila													
29 Karle, Eva													
30 Lecuyer, Sarah													
31 Lane, Ada													
32 McCord, Eliza													
33 Myers, Mollie													
34 Mason, Esther													
35 Rowland, Catherine													
36 Emeline, Raut													
37 Rhoade, Clara													
38 Raut, Alda													
39 Rheinhold, Della													
40 Snyder, Lyda													
41 Silvers, Anna													
42 Sheffer, Cora													
43 Schermerhorn, Mary													
44 Schlatter, Ethel													
45 Snepp, Nellie													
46 TenEyke, Nina													
47 Thornburg, Mrs. C. H.													
48 ~~Trowbridge, Millie~~													
49 Thornburg, Bertha													
50 Weaver, Sarah													

		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
51	Braun, Ella		P				P						
52	Thomas, Salonia												
53	Walsworth, Elizabeth			P		P	P	P					
54	Wilderson, Viola											P	
55	Wilkinson, Sarah	P											
56	Willis, Mariah	P		P		P				P		P	
57	Zimmerman, Callie	P		P	P	P	P		P	P	P		
58	Zimmerman, Priscilla	P											P
59	Kessler, Viola												
60	Kuhlman, Oliver	P		P	P		P		P	P	P	P	
61	Hoffman, Edna			P									
62	[illegible]									P			
63	[illegible]												
64	Mrs. Rose [illegible]												
65													
66													
67													
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F. E. Eckhart
Rev. F. F. Thornburg.

Roll for 1912-1913.

		Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
50	Winnie Brandon.					P	P						
1	Vantippa Achenier.		P		P	P	P				P	P	
2	Hattie Altenberg.							P	P				
3	Lettie Boland.												
4	Ella Braun.						P	P	P	P	P	P	
5	Marguerite Brown.												
6	Carrie Bower.					P		P	P		P	P	
7	Sadie Cobb.					P	P						
8	Sarah Chaney.												
9	Nannie Casebeer												
10	Allie Clark.												
11	Bertha Cuykendall												
12	Bella Cochran.												
13	Emma Draggoo.						P						
14	Grace Eckhart												
15	F. E. Eckhart.												
16	Bertha Frederick.	P	P		P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	
17	Josie Fosdick						P						
18	Jennie Fanning.	P					P				P		
19	Kate Ferguson.												
20	Adeline Gugerli	P					P	P	P	P			
21	Lena Gugerli.												
22	Velonia Hollister										P	P	P
23	Emma Hilkey.												
24	Maude Haverstock.											P	
25	Ada Jones.	P	P	Removed									
26	Minnie Jackman									P		P	

	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
1 Saloma Thomas.					P		P					
5 Elizabeth Walsworth.										P	P	
6 Viola Wildeson.												
7 Verah Willemar						1	P					
8 Priscilla Zimmerman										P	P	
9 Callie Zimmerman					P							
61 Mariah Willis					P	P				P		
62 Sarah Weaver.						P						
Mrs Mason						P				P		
Mrs. Ballanger.												
~~Miss Ferguson~~												
Linda Kettering.												
Lulu Brown.												

		nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct
27	Ellen Keeran												
28	Laura Keeran.						P						P
29	Olive Kuhlman.	P			P			P	P	P			P
30	Viola Keesler												
1	Eva Karle.						P		P			P	
2	Sarah Leasure	P		P	P	P	P		P	P	P		
3	Ada Lane.	P			P	P			P				
4	Eliza McCord				P			P	P				
5	~~Eda McClintock~~												
6	Mollie Myers.		P									P	P
7	Catherine Rowland												
8	Emiline Rant			P	P								P
9	Clara Rhoads.												
10	Alda Rant			P	P		P		P				P
1	Della Rinehold.												
2	Lida Snyder.	P			P				P				
3	Nellie Schnepp.					P							
4	Ethel Schlatter												
5	~~Maggie Stafford~~					/							
6	Anna Silvers				P	P					P		
7	Cora Sheffer.				P				P				
8	Mary Schemerhorn.							P					
9	Nina Ten Eyck.				P	P	P						
30	Millie Trowbridge								/				
1	Bertha Thornburg.			P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P
2	O. W. Thornburg.												
3	Fred. F. Thornburg.												

Roll of Members W. F. M. S. 1911-1912.

	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 Mrs. Minnie Brandon.											
2 " Vantibbpa Achemire.			P	P	P		P		P	P	
3 " Hattie Altenburg.					P						
4 " [illegible] Boland.				P	P						
5 " Ella Braun.	P	P		P	P						
6 " Marguite Brown.	P	P	P	P	P		P		P	P	
7 " Brown.						P					
8 " Sadie Cobb.	P	P		P	P		P		P	P	
9 " Sarah Chaney.				P					P		
10 " Vannie Casebier.											
11 " Allie Clark.				P	P						
12 Miss Bertha Cuykendall.											
13 Mrs Emma Craggs.	P		P	P	P				P	P	
14 " Grace Eckhart.				P	P		P		P	P	
15 " Velonia Hollister.	P			P	P						
16 " Mariah Willis.											
17 Miss Ellen Keenan.				P	P					P	
18 " Laura Keenan.			P	P	P						
19 Mrs Olin Kuhlman.				P							
20 " Viola Kessler.					P						
21 " Sarah Leasure.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P				
22 " Eliza Mc Cord.				P	P	P	P			P	
23 " Eva Mc Clintock.	P	P	P								
24 " Mollie Myers.											
25 " Catherine Rowland.											
26 " Emeline Rant.	P	P	P	P	P			P			

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		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
27	Mrs Clara Rhoads.	P	P		P			P		P	P		
28	" Alda Rauk.	P	P		P			P			P	P	
29	" Lida Snyder.	P	P		P	P	P	P			P	P	
30	" Nellie Snepp.	P	P		P								
31	" Ethel Schlatter.	P	P	P	P	P	P						
32	" Maggie Stafford.	P			P	P	P						
33	" Anna Silvis.	P	P		P	P					P		
34	" Cora Sheffer.				P								
35	" Mary Schermerhorn												
36	" Nina Van Eyck.	P			P	P	P	P			P	P	
37	" Millie Trowbridge.												
38	" Bertha Thomburg.	P	P	P	P	P	P	P				GP	
39	" O. N. Thomburg.				P	P							
40	Miss Salome Thomas.				P	P	P						
41	Mrs Sarah Weaver.												
42	" Walsworth.	P						P					
43	" Viola Wildesmith.										P		
44	" Verah Williams.										P		
45	" Priscilla Zimmerman	P						P			P	P	P
46	" Callie Zimmerman.	P	P	P		P		P					
47	" Adeline Bugnli.					P		P					
48	Miss Lena Bugnli.												
49	Mrs Bertha Frederick.	P			P	P		P				P	
50	" Ada Lane.	P			P	P	P	P			P		
51	" Ada Jones.				P	P	P	P		P	P	P	P
52	Miss Minnie Jackman.												

Roll of Members of W. F. M. S. 1911-1912.

		Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
53	Mrs Eva Karle.												
54	" F. Hilkey												
55	" Josie Hosdick.				P			P	P				
56	" Maude Havenstock	P	P		P	P					P		
57	F. F. Thornburg.											P	
58	F. E. Eckhart.												
59	Mrs Lola Rinehold									P			
60	Mrs Josie Hanning						P						
61	" Bella Cochran.												
	Est Fairchild												

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Date October.

Place of Meeting Mrs. Lola Johnson

WAR AND THE KINGDOM. CHAPTER I

Leader Mrs. E. L. Bowen

1. Intercession — Mrs. Marie Willis
2. The Church Without a Sword
3. Enter, The Church Militant
4. The Reformation and Its Leaders
5. A Forgotten Peace Advocate
6. Where The Reformation Broke Down
7. The Jubilee Outlook:
   "The Master's Service First" } Mrs. Minnie Brand
   "The Jubilee Legion"

Notes. Date preferably October. 1. October *Study* and Intercessors' page in *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 12-17. 3. Pages 17-25. 4. Pages 25-31. 5. Pages 26-29. 6. Pages 30-34. 7. Leaflets.

That He who made all nations is not willing

Date November

Place of Meeting Mrs. Leilah Kettering

CHRISTIAN CONQUEST OF EUROPE: EAST. CHAPTER II

Leader Mrs. Vantippa Abernmire

1. Intercession Mrs. John Buss
2. A Bit of Geography
3. A Family Disagreement
4. "Mohammed." The Sword of Islam
5. A Thousand Years of Foreign Missions
6. The Greek Conquest of the Slav
7. Storiette: "A Chinese Pollyanna" Mrs. Mollie Myers
8. Mystery Box Mrs. Ella Braun Gues in Oct

Notes. 1. November *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 38-41. 3. Pages 42-48. 4. Leaflet. Pages 48-53. 5. Pages 54-63. 6. Pages 64-74. 7. Leaflet.

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One soul should perish, lost in shades of night.

Date December

Place of Meeting Mrs. Winnie Brandon

GENERAL EXECUTIVE IN MINIATURE

Leader Mrs. Bertha Frederick

1. Intercession Mrs. Chas. Raut
2. A Demonstration
3. Forty-Seventh Annual Report
4. "A Christmas in China"
5. Mystery Box Mrs. Lois Parker Gues. in Nov

Notes. 1. December *Study* and *Friend*. 2. December *Study* and *Executive Daily*. Full suggestions for dramatizing the Executive, in *Study*. Price of *Daily*, seven issues, 15 cents; subscription to be sent to publisher by October 1. 3. Free leaflet (ready in November). 4. Leaflet.

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Proclaim to every people, tongue, and nation

Date January

Place of Meeting Mrs. E. E. Brown

CHRISTIAN CONQUEST OF EUROPE: WEST. CHAPTER III

Leader Mrs. Bertha Gatten

1. Intercession Miss Geigerli
2. Four Great Names in France
3. Conquests of Peace in Britain
4. Boniface and Militant Christianity
5. Demonstration: "Thanksgiving Ann" Callie Zimmerman
6. Mystery Box Mrs. Warren Lige Gues. in Dec

Notes. 1. January *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 77-81. 3. Pages 81-92. 4. Pages 93-96. 5. Dialogue, 10 cents.

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That God, in whom they live and move, is love;

Date February

Place of Meeting Mrs. E. L. Fosdick

CONQUEST OF EUROPE: WEST (Continued). CHAPTER III

Leader Mrs. F. Hall

1. Intercession Mrs. Rinehold
2. Sword-Made Converts
3. Story: "A Greater Than Charlemagne" Mrs. Alda Raut
4. Chivalry and The Crusades
5. The Doubtful Conquest of Prussia
6. Knights Errant of Christ:
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Notes. February *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 98-106. 3. Leaflet. 4. Pages 106-113. 5. Pages 113-115. 6. Pages 116-117; also leaflet.

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Tell how He stooped to save His lost creation,

Date March.

Place of Meeting Mrs. Kiblinger.

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2. Noble Dreamers and Adventurers. Centers of Light
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4. "The Four W's"
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Notes. 1. March *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 124-136. 3. Pages 136-141. 4. Pages 141-170; also leaflet. 5. Pages 170-173. 6. Pages 173-174. 7. Page 175.

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And died on earth that man might live above.

Date April.

Place of Meeting Mrs. John Buss.

THE TWO AMERICAS

Leader Mrs. Sadie Cobb.

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2. Rising Republics
3. The Continent of Opportunity
4. "The Woman of South America"
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6. Story: "Declaring the Dividend"
7. Mystery Box Mrs. Alice Trogg Pres. in Mich

Notes. 1. April *Study* and *Friend*. 2, 3, 5. *Study*. 4. Leaflet. 6. Leaflet, 3 cents.

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Give of thy sons to bear the message glorious;

Date May

Place of Meeting Mrs. E. Cochran

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4. "A Soldier of Peace" Mrs. Blaine, Decap.
5. Mystery Box Mrs. Emma Dragoo Pres in Apr.

Notes. 1. May *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Text-Book, pages 176-183. 3. Stories to be hunted and told: a. Pages 188, 191, 195, 198; b. Pages 197, 210, 214; c. Pages 201, 203, 218. 4. Leaflet.

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Give of thy wealth to speed them on their way;

Date June.

Place of Meeting Mrs. Geo. Wood

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Leader Mrs. S. Stone

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Notes. 1. Leaflet. 2. Text-Book, pages 230-231. 3. Pages 232-240. 4. Pages 240-246. 5. Pages 247-253. 6. Leaflet. 7. Pages 254-261. 8. Leaflet, 3 cents.

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Pour out thy soul for them in prayer victorious,

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Place of Meeting Mrs. S. Stone.

OUR ISLAND COUSINS

Leader Mrs. Fosdick.

1. Intercession Mrs. Lola Johnson
2. "A Short Story of a Long Bondage"
3. A Field Ripe For Harvest
4. "Filipina Girls in Action" Mrs. Ada Lane
5. Among The New Books
6. Mystery Box Miss Ellen Kuran furs. in June.

Notes. 1. July *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Leaflet. 3 and 5 *Study*. 4. Leaflet.

And all thou spendest Jesus will repay.

Date August

Place of Meeting Mrs Cora Sheffer

ORIENTAL MOVING PICTURES

Leader Mrs. Olive Kuhlman

1. Intercession Mrs Surface
2. Demonstration: "In a Village of India"
3. "A Heroine in Peace and War"
4. "Elijah's Ravens in a Chinese Sunday School"
5. The New Woman of the Orient
6. Mystery Box Mrs. Schemmerhorn furs. in July

Notes. August *Study* and *Friend*. 2. Dialogue, 5 cents. 3 and 4. Leaflets. 5. *Study*.

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Publish glad tidings, tidings of peace!

Date September.

Place of Meeting Mrs F. Hall.

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Leader Mrs. Clara Rhoades.

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2. Ways of Working
3. "A Handbag Dictionary of Finance" Mrs Vera Hillmer
4. Story: "Mrs. Brent's New Committee" Jennie Fanning
5. "The League of Intercessors"
6. Mystery Box Mrs. Hattie Adams furs in Aug.
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Notes. 1. September *Study* and *Friend*. 2. *Study*. 3, 4, 5. Leaflets.

Tidings of Jesus, redemption and release!

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"Will you not pray for us? Each day we need
Your prayers, for oft the way is rough and long,
And our lips falter and forget their song,
As we proclaim the Word men will not heed.

"Pray for us! We are but vessels frail;
The world's appalling need would crush us down,
Save that in vision we behold the crown
Upon His brow who shall at length prevail!

"Not yet the crowning! Fields must first be won,
Lives freely yielded, martyr blood be spilt,
Love cast out fear, redemption blot out guilt,
Ere we behold the kingdom of God's Son.

"We shall behold it! Lo, His Word stands sure,
Our King shall triumph in a world set free.
With joy His chosen ones His reign shall see!
Pray for us, sister, that we may endure!"

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